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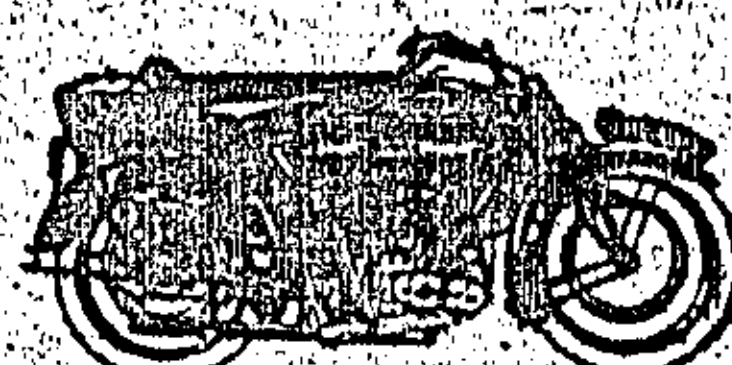
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CANTON ATROCITIES.

POPULACE TURNS ON YUNNANESE TROOPS.

"ROBIN" COMMANDER'S TALK.

Terrible occurrences took place in Canton following the defeat of the Yunnanese, in connection with which a correspondent sends us the following which, he says, can be substantiated by many foreigners and Chinese:—

The Yunnanese at 3 p.m. on Friday admitted defeat by flying the white flag, and section leaders went to the advancing Cantonese soldiers, saluted and handed in their flags of truce, revolvers and equipment, the ranks meanwhile remaining inactive in groups under verandahs just like lost sheep, wondering what next was going to happen. Their superior officers by this time had cleared off.

These tools of the Yunnanese War Lords were all relieved of their arms and equipment, and left standing about the streets; many of them, thinking the war was all over, changed into coolie clothes and mingled with the populace.

About 5 p.m. the same day, when all the Yunnanese Headquarters had been taken over and all ranks disarmed, the populace turned on these poor wretches of soldiers and started beating them up with sticks, stones or any other weapon that hands could be laid on.

The following instances will give some idea of the intense suffering that the Yunnanese had to go through before death. In almost every case the wanton cruelty was inflicted by mobs of coolies and onlookers, not Cantonese soldiers, as these men at times stopped some of the harsh treatment and packed the creatures off to some place of detention.

Let me quote some cases. In one instance, twelve Yunnanese were imprisoned in a house on Shaki, just opposite Shamoon. They were released one at a time to receive punishment at the hands of an infuriated mob. When one would come out he would be immediately jostled and beaten with sticks and would fall down on his knees and beg for mercy, chin-chinning with his head in the dust. He would then be kicked from all sides and when almost insensible would be thrown into the creek and each time his head rose above water a large stone would be dropped on it or else it was poked down with a large bamboo pole until he was either drowned or killed.

FOREIGNERS INTERVENE.
Twelve men were done to death in this manner just outside the French Bridge of Shamoon. Numbers of foreigners were witnesses, helpless to intervene on Chinese territory, until they could stand it no longer, when about six of them, including American and British sailors and civilians, intervened just as two more Yunnanese were being beaten up and rescued them and took them to the French Police Station.

One of the rescuers, a British Naval Officer, Lieut. Faure, Commander of H. M. S. Robin, who is a clever Chinese scholar, got up on a box and delivered a speech to the mob, telling them that they should not attack the Yunnanese but should hand them over to the Chinese authorities who would not doubt deal with them in the proper manner. This had a little effect on the crowd who had listened intently to the few words of friendly advice, and immediately after when two more Yunnanese were caught they were handed over to the Chinese Police. An examination of the two rescued men showed terrible signs of punishment, received in the few minutes of rough handling. They could not walk and had deep and raw welts all over their bodies.

In another case, a Yunnanese among the crowd, observing what was happening to his fellow

countrymen, seemed to be paralysed and when the crowd saw him he immediately took a flying leap into the creek. He came up once, repeated the operation a second time and finally disappeared, bubbles arising from the spot where he had drowned.

OFFICER CRUCIFIED.
In another instance, a Yunnanese officer was crucified to a telephone post in the middle of the city, there left to die a lingering death while the crowd jeered and threw stones.

Numerous other cases could be quoted, slightly different treatment being meted out to the unfortunate according to the class of instrument of torture being used. The most flagrant of all which would be unfit for publication, being the case of a poor soldier being stripped naked mutilated in certain parts with a knife and left lying on his back slowly bleeding to death, while an enormous crowd looked on thinking it a huge joke.

Wounded men in the street, some nearly dead, were not left alone, but trampled on, kicked and beaten until the last spark of life was extinguished. One case in particular is of a man shot in both legs, not seriously, but unable to walk, (who with a few days' hospital treatment would have been quite fit again) but was done to death.

OVER 700 KILLED.
A great many of these atrocities were plainly seen from Shamoon and just outside the French Bridge seemed the worst spot. Peaceful Chinese citizens are disgusted at the blood-thirsty way in which their compatriots slaughtered the Yunnanese. No fewer than 107 bodies were to be counted in the short distance of half a mile from the Post Office, and as this treatment was universally meted out all over the city, it is conservatively estimated that over 700 Yunnanese soldiers met their death at the hands of infuriated mobs during the last twenty-four hours, ten times the number of those actually killed during the fighting last week.

GOVERNMENT RESCUE WORK.

There must be still a great number of these unfortunate roaming about the city with no homes to go to, nowhere to sleep and not a bit of food to eat. They must be starving already, as it is almost forty-eight hours since they surrendered, and they are frightened to open their mouths to beg or even buy, (if they do have a little money), for as soon as they do, they give themselves away on account of the different dialect they speak from that of the Cantonese. When this happens, up goes the cry "A Yunnanese!" then the crowd soon collects and puts the poor unfortunate through a terrific beating to death.

It appears as if the Chinese authorities are now taking the matter in hand and rescuing a lot of them and putting them into Police Stations and other compounds where they are more or less protected from the infuriated populace. It is believed that they will be put into service as scavengers, for the city is in a very filthy state after its week of warfare.

No doubt the Kuomintang Government had their hands full on the day of occupation and were not aware of the terrible goings on by the populace, for I am sure they would have made some effort to stop the dreadful business.

ANOTHER VERSION.

AN EYE-WITNESS STORY.
Another correspondent, after giving an outline of the surren-

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CHINA UNREST.

MORE MONEY FROM THE SOVIET

GENERAL'S ADVICE.

Moscow, June 14.
According to the Rosta news agency, money collections are being made in several Russian towns for the Chinese strikers and the families of those killed in the rioting.

The general council of the Soviet trade unions has increased its contribution to a hundred thousand roubles. Individual Soviet trade unions have subscribed from five thousand to twenty thousand roubles each.—*Reuter.*

A GENERAL'S WARNING.

Shanghai, June 15.
General Liu Chu-lung, whose Hupho forces have arrived here to strengthen the Concession Chinese guard, issued to-day handwritten proclamation to the native city and the British Concession, stating that, pending the result of the Central Government's Shanghai investigation, quietness must be maintained here. He adds that if anti-foreign disturbances continue, the result will be a repetition of the Kowloon Year (Boxer trouble) and Allied troops will be landed.—*Reuter.*

SERIOUS TREND.

ITALIAN PRIEST REPORTED KILLED.

Peking, June 14.
It is understood that the students have decided to postpone their one-day strike until June 25th.

According to Chinese unofficial reports, the Catholic church at Kaifeng was burned down yesterday, and one Italian priest was killed.

It is persistently reported this evening that the Foreign Minister, Shen Jui-lin, has gone into hiding, fearing that the students will persist in extreme demands to which he cannot agree.—*Reuter.*

HANKOW QUIET.

Hankow, June 14.
Another rioter has died from his wounds. The total dead is now nine. The situation is quiet and without incident. The defence forces are still standing by.—*Reuter.*

CONFERENCE AT KIUKIANG.

Shanghai, June 15.
A message from Kiukiang to-day says the situation is quiet. A conference of Chinese and foreign officials is being held this morning to discuss protective measures. H.M.S. Gnat, from Hankow, arrived yesterday and the Butterfield and Swire steamer Poyang was despatched from Hankow to-day for relief purposes.—*Reuter.*

SWATOW STRIKE POSSIBLE.

A correspondent writing from Swatow under date of Friday states that a rumour prevails to the effect that a general strike is likely to break out there, the probable date being given as Sunday or Monday. In some quarters it is reported that only employees in British or Japanese employment will be affected.

The correspondent adds that up to the time of writing no meeting of the Consular Body had been held, but the hope is expressed by residents that a British warship may be sent to the port for the protection of life and property.

PROTECTION FOR KULING.

Shanghai, June 15.
A message Kiukiang says the Chinese authorities have informed the British Consul that a hundred selected Chinese troops are being sent to protect the Kuling summer resort, where there are 600 foreigners, mainly women and children, for whom no anxiety

OUR TELEPHONES.

BILL PASSES FIRST READING.

At the meeting of the Legislative Council held to-day at noon, the Hon. Mr. H. E. Piddock, K.C., Attorney General, moved the first reading of the new Telephone Ordinance, explaining that the financial aspects of the matter had been fully dealt with by the Hon. Colonial Secretary in his speech on May 21st, and that the provisions of the Bill followed the terms of the resolutions which were approved by the Council. The various clauses of the Bill were fully explained in the Object's and Reasons and he did not think it was necessary for him to recapitulate them. At the next meeting of the Council he would be pleased to answer any question which might be put to him regarding the details of the Bill.

The first reading was then agreed to without further comment.

EQUAL BLAME.

COLLISION BY SUCTION.

COURT FINDING.

That the collision between the Fatshan and the Hangcheong in the Maitland Passage on June 4th, was caused by suction, and that the masters of both vessels were to blame, was the finding of a Marine Court of Enquiry this morning.

Lieut. Commr. G. F. Hole presided and the other members were Lieut. Commr. C. H. R. Harvey, Mr. P. Goings, Mr. H. Walker and Mr. T. Croft.

Mr. G. K. Hall Brutton appeared for the owners of the Hangcheong, and Mr. D. J. Lewis represented the owners of the Fatshan.

Mr. D. J. Lewis put in an agreement between masters concerning overtaking vessels on the Canton River.

The evidence of the officers of the Fatshan was to the effect that she was about 1,000 feet away when she signalled the Hangcheong, that she wished to pass. The Hangcheong answered and both vessels sheered off to their respective sides of the river. The Hangcheong was over 300 feet away when the vessels were abreast. The master, Capt. R. Ritchie, said that the Hangcheong must have struck ground, because she suddenly swerved out and came stern on at the Fatshan. She struck the Fatshan at an angle of about 40 degrees and carried away about thirty feet of rail and stanchion.

Captain A. Jeakins, of the Hangcheong, said that the Fatshan was close to his starboard quarter, 30 or 40 feet away, when she signalled that she wished to pass. As the Fatshan was passing, he found his vessel was not answering her helm and though he put his port engine full astern, and drove his starboard engine at half speed, he was unable to prevent her being pulled into the side of the Fatshan.

Questioned, he said that he expected the suction, but thought it safe to allow the Fatshan to pass.

The Court found that the master of the Fatshan was wrong in requesting to be allowed to pass at that particular spot, and that the master of the Hangcheong was to blame for signalling his agreement.

JAPANESE DESTROYERS.

Tokyo, June 15.
The Navy Department announces that a destroyer flotilla has been ordered to be in readiness to proceed to the Yangtze from Sasebo.—*Reuter.*

HUGE HAUL.

DRUGS FOUND IN BEDPOSTS.

16 CASES SEIZED.

What may turn out to be the biggest seizure of its kind ever made in Hongkong occurred on the Glen Line steamer Glenara yesterday when Revenue Officers opened up a number of cases containing bedsteads, to discover, tightly packed inside the iron tubing, a variety of drugs such as heroin, morphine and cocaine.

The process of unpacking the bed parts and extracting the drugs from the hollow interiors of the bedposts will take some time, and until this has been finished it is impossible to estimate the precise extent of the haul, save that it appears to be the most valuable ever made here. Meantime the cases have all been shifted ashore to the Imports and Exports Offices.

The bedsteads were in sixteen cases, consigned from Antwerp to Shanghai.

MOTOR MISHAP.

FURTHER CHARGES AGAINST AMERICAN.

Pending the addition of two further counts, Mr. T. W. Werschkul, who is being held on bail in consequence of an accident at Repulse Bay in which he is alleged to have knocked down and severely injured an Indian watchman, was again remanded on appearance before Mr. S. B. B. McElderry, at the Central Magistracy this morning.

It is expected that two sittings will be necessary for the examination of the witnesses, and the dates now set aside for the purpose are Thursday and Friday.

BUS DRIVER.

HELD UP BY ROBBERS.

A report has been received by the police from a bus-driver in the employ of the Kai Tak Motor Bus Company, in which he stated that he was held up by armed robbers whilst returning from Kowloon City to Hung Hom last night, at 11.30. What looked like a revolver was pointed at his head, and he was induced to part with the takings, amounting to \$7, and a silver watch.

The three men concerned in the hold-up afterwards made their escape in the direction of Kowloon City.

QUAKE SHOCKS.

DAMAGE IN FORMOSA.

Tokyo, June 15.
Despatches from Kanton, Formosa, report a series of earthquakes on Sunday, causing extensive damage to buildings. There were, however, no casualties.—*Reuter.*

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The result of last week's Competition will be announced on Wednesday.

THE CANTONESE VICTORY.

GRAPHIC STORY OF THE ATTACK.

YUNNANESE ROUGHLY HANDLED.

(Our Own Correspondent).

Canton, June 13.
More details are now to hand with regard to the decisive victory gained by the Cantonese. For some long time an old ex-German disabled cruiser was lying at Whampoa and has been used as a floating fortress. This ship was towed up to Tungpo, three miles east of Whampoa, and in conjunction with the Wing Fung and mosquito fleet rained a terrific bombardment on the Canton shore at this vicinity on Thursday night at 10.30.

Under cover of this offensive bombardment, the Cantonese landed 3,000 troops by means of tugs and lighters. These soldiers immediately got under cover and held their position during the night. The Yunnanese in the meantime were holding the old Government trenches and keeping an advance in check.

At 10 o'clock on Friday morning a Government aeroplane hovered over the trenches held by the Yunnanese and dropped a bomb which immediately routed the Yunnanese, who then made a hasty retreat, falling back on the city, the Cantonese following up immediately and attacking vigorously. At the same time, more troops were being landed from the Whampoa side. Near the Kung Yee Hospital in Tungshan, a lot of fighting took place which put the Yunnanese more on the run and at this time they were throwing their arms away and discarding their uniforms.

Working in conjunction with these Cantonese troops in the inside of the city were another lot who made the Front Bund their offensive, and on their approach the Yunnanese from this part of the city also retreated and at noon the whole Bund was in the possession of the Cantonese. As soon as this was effected, launches towing lighters went to Honam and started pouring the Cantonese soldiers on to the Canton side and at 11 p.m. the Yunnanese surrendered, throwing down their arms and carrying white flags of truce.

YUNNANESE ROUNDED UP.

The Cantonese were soon in all parts of the city and were collecting the arms and equipment. The Salkwan Headquarters of the Yunnanese was raided and all material taken away, while the Yunnanese soldiers were lined up on pavements, waiting to be taken away as prisoners of war. Occasionally, batches of the Yunnanese made attempts to get away into the city. Discarding their uniforms, they made a bold dash for liberty, only to be fired on by the Cantonese. No doubt hundreds of them got away into the interior of the city, but their dialect being so different from the Cantonese they were easily discovered and rounded up.

The whole of the populace appeared to be very much relieved when the Cantonese recaptured the city, and some Yunnanese who had escaped capture by the Cantonese soldiers were killed by the people.

CANTONESE REVENGE.

Along the Shaki Bund and outside the French Bridge those poor wretches who had admitted defeat were taken one by one and hampered insensible and then thrown into the creek; even then their inert bodies were pelted with stones, one or two of them managed to get out of range from the stones, perhaps to drift with the current to their death at some other part of the city.

Inside the city and along the Bund the same thing happened; any Yunnanese who happened to pass was immediately seized and killed, manhandled, beaten with sticks and bamboos, stoned and brutally done to death and hundreds of bodies were to be seen this morning all over the city and

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YUNNANESE GENERAL FLEES.

The Yunnanese General Yeung Hi-man left for Hongkong yesterday afternoon by the Butterfield and Swire ship Liang Chow. He was accompanied by his family and was recognised on the Liangchow, so preferred to go by the former ship.

The Front Beach, the scene of six days' battling, is now open to traffic and a walk along the Canton Bund shows very little damage. The walls are naturally very much bullet-marked and lots of windows broken. The Yunnanese sandbags and defences are still in position and in one place the gutter has been dug up and the footpath paving-stone used for a parapet.

The Power Station men were soon on the job yesterday afternoon and by dark most of the shot-down lines were restored and current turned on. The coal shortage has ended now that transportation facilities are back to normal.

THE NEW REGIME.

This morning there seems a change. The Cantonese soldiers seem to have the situation well in hand and all stray Yunnanese are being marched away, protected by Government troops.

To-day, Li Fuk-lum's troops are taking over the Wengsha section of the city and a couple of thousand of them are to be seen marching to their destination. Official notification of the cessation of hostilities was conveyed to the Senior Naval Officer by Li Fuk-lum's chief of staff at 3 p.m. yesterday, stating that the Cantonese were now in possession of their own city and that General Ngai Bong-ping was Commander-in-Chief of all the city. It will be remembered that Ngai Bong-ping was Commissioner of Police some three years ago and that during his term of office the conditions of the city were excellent. It is hoped that with his influence he may be able to reconstruct the whole of Canton and put it on a peaceful and prosperous basis.

Now that the Cantonese have regained what rightfully belongs to them, and the other Provincial soldiers have been defeated and turned out, all internal strife should cease and double taxation end and business should prosper. With the co-operation of the merchants, the Government should evolve a plan whereby the peace and security of the whole Province would be assured. The city is now getting back to business, shops are re-opening and the populace going back to their homes. No doubt within a few days all who have fled to Macao and will return.

ANOTHER VERSION.

A CORRESPONDENT'S DESCRIPTION.

Writing under Friday's date, a special correspondent states: "Life in the suburbs of Canton has not been conducive to good health during the past week. Food is difficult to obtain, sleep is broken by the fusillade of shots and servants are upset and afraid to go into the streets. Here in the Eastern suburb, the people have a hectic time, the racket from the firing has been considerable and it is hoped that ammunition will not last much longer."

Yesterday (Thursday) evening at five o'clock about 1,000 Yunnanese troops went out eastward, marching along the railway track to Shekpal, the first station five

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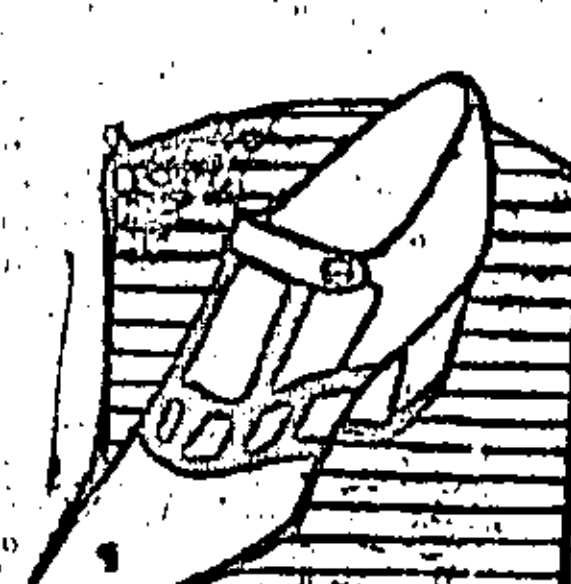
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EARLIER TELEGRAMS.

CAPE BRETON STRIKE.

Glace Bay, Nova Scotia, June 12.

Further acts of violence on the part of the Cape Breton strikers are reported. Early this morning the men looted four companies' stores, damaging the fixtures. Strikers who forced an entry to the power station destroyed the switch-boards and other essential plant, completely cutting off the supply of power from the mine to the pumps. Provincial police have arrived and are restoring order.

Later.

During the attack on the power station, fifteen mounted police charged the mob, but fell into the hands of the strikers, who beat them severely. The injured police were removed to the gaol, where men prevented the lynching of the police.—*Reuter's American Service.*

Sydney, Nova Scotia, June 14.

While the attention of the Police and Fire Brigade was distracted by a fire alarm in another quarter of the town, strikers raided the premises of the Steel Corporation and Sydney Mines and looted food and clothing which they carried off in the Company's wagons. The Police, on their return from the fire, were met with volleys of stones from the strikers.

The Company's stores at Halifax and Glace Bay were also raided. It is estimated that during the past three days the Company's property has been damaged and looted to the extent of a quarter of a million dollars.

Military reinforcements are en route to the scene of the disturbances.—*Reuter.*

THE SOFIA PLOTTERS.

Belgrade, June 14.

The Court Martial has ordered the public execution of Lieut.-Colonel Miltenoff and three anarchists, including a woman, who were guilty of participating in secret organizations or furnishing arms to conspirators. Others similarly sentenced were an accused major in *contumaciam*, and a captain who committed suicide on the point of arrest.

The foregoing are ordered jointly to pay twelve million leva damages.

The masons who constructed the hiding places have been condemned to imprisonment.

The Minister for War informed the Chamber that over three thousand people are detained in prisons pending Court Martial. The press censorship is now raised.—*Reuter.*

INDIAN STAGNATION.

Simla, June 13.

The suspension of the Dyarchy of Bengal is announced in a Gazette extraordinary, stating that the Indian Government has suspended the transfer of all subjects of Bengal until January 21, 1927. The step is mainly owing to the Provincial Council thrice refusing to vote the Ministers' salaries. The decision does not mean that suspension may not be terminated earlier if the Council indicate a desire to reconsider the position.—*Reuter.*

FRENCH REVENUE RETURNS.

Paris, June 14.

Revenue returns for May exceed 1,998,000,000 francs of which 1,893,000,000 were yielded by normal permanent sources which exceed by 193,000,000 the figure for May 1924. For the first five months of 1925 the increase exceeds 1,502,000,000. The yield of every kind of direct or indirect tax shows a material increase as compared with last year and the budget estimates.—*Havas.*

AYR BURGH'S BY-ELECTION.

London, June 13.

The by-election for Ayr Burghs, consequent upon the appointment of Sir John Baird (now Lord Stonehaven) as Governor-General of Australia, resulted as follows:—Lieut.-Colonel Russell Moore (Conservative) 11,601; Dollan (Lab. Socialist) 8,813; Pringle (Liberal) 4,656. No change is thus made.—*Reuter.*

PEACE WORKERS.

The Hague, June 14.

In commemoration of M. Grotius's contributions to the cause of International Law, the League of Nations and Peace Association are instituting a Grotius Medal, which will be awarded to individuals and organisations, who have done meritorious work in the sphere of International Law or the League of Nations or Peace. The present year's gold medal will be offered to the Foreign Ministers of France and Sweden in recognition of their respective countries. For personal services, the Grotius Bronze Medals will be offered to eight international celebrities, including Lord Balfour, General Dawes, Doctor Loder and the Japanese, Mr. Adachi.—*Reuter.*

PERSIAN BORDER TROUBLE ENDED.

Simla, June 14.

The trouble on the Persia-Baluchistan border has ended. The Persian Government has made an agreement with the tribal leaders.—*Reuter.*

SIGHT BY WIRELESS.

Washington, June 14.

Apparatus whereby moving objects miles away may be seen wirelessly has been successfully demonstrated privately. In the presence of Mr. Wilbur, Secretary of the Navy and other high officials, and witnessed in the laboratory of the inventor, Mr. C. Francis Jenkins, a local scientist. They were able to see on the screen a moving object at the naval wireless station several miles away.—*Reuter's American Service.*

ARCTIC LANDS.

Ottawa, June 14.

In view of the controversy being waged in United States newspapers in connection with possible claims to uncharted and unclaimed lands by the Macmillan Arctic expedition, the Minister for the Interior has made a statement clarifying Canada's claims to ownership of the Arctic Archipelago lying between meridians 60 and 141 to the Pole.—*Reuter's American Service.*

THE GRUB IN THE OAK.

London, June 13.

A definite statement of conviction that Moscow is financing the British Communist movement was made by the Home Secretary in a speech at Chatsworth. He appealed to Trade Unionists to resist this "hideous grub which is eating into the heart of the oak."—*Reuter.*

RUSSIANS DEPORTED.

Warsaw, June 14.

The Polish Government has deported to the Russian frontier two officials of the Soviet Legation found directing an espionage organisation. Ten officials of the Legation have had to leave Poland on this account in the last fourteen months.—*Reuter.*

EUROPEAN SECURITY.

Brussels, June 13.

The Government has approved the terms of the French note to Germany in connection with the security pact.—*Reuter.*

RUM RUNNING.

LEAKAGE FROM CANADA.

Boston, June 12.—As the sequel to the seizure on May 23 in Boston harbour of the steamer Van, when the police made a haul of over a thousand cases of assorted liquor labelled to represent fish, meats and lobsters, the president of the Coastal Steamship Company and fifteen of the ship's crew are being held on bail on charges of violation of the Customs laws. All pleaded not guilty.

The federal authorities are investigating an alleged new rum-running route from Canada to Maine ports, from where it is believed liquor is being shipped inside the Rum Row blockade to all parts of the country.—*Reuter's American Service.*

PETERSEN CONTRACT

A TRAGIC SEQUEL.

Ottawa, June 13.—Sir William Petersen is dying of heart-failure, a tragic sequel to the Babling report to the Dominion House of Commons regarding the contract between Sir William and the Government to operate a subsidised line of steamers to break the Atlantic shipping ring. The report recommended that the contract be not proceeded with pending further data, suggesting that Sir William test his vessels on the Atlantic route without subsidy but with Government support.—*Reuter's American Service.*

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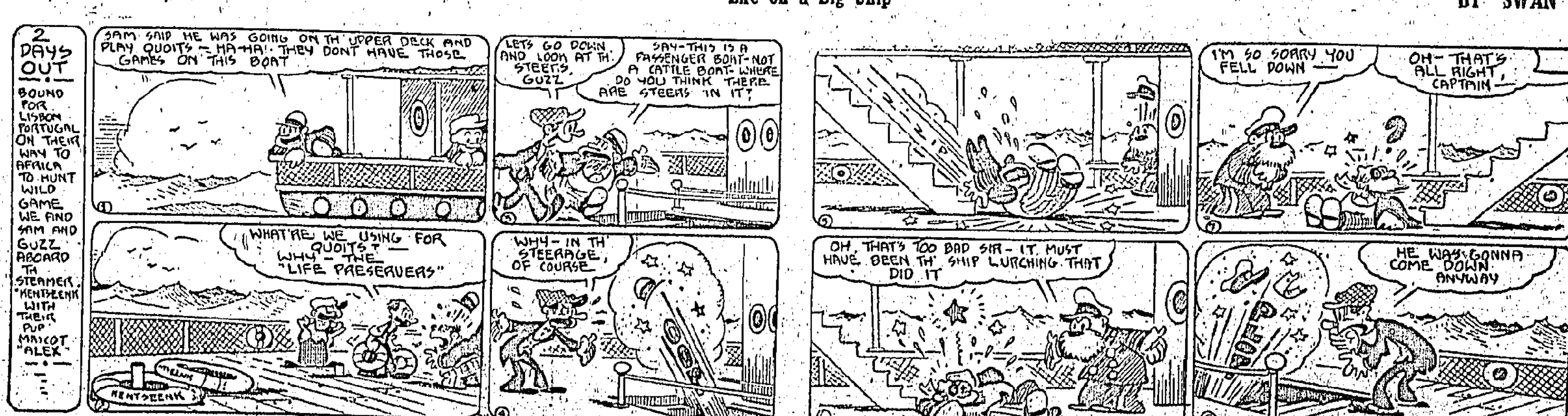
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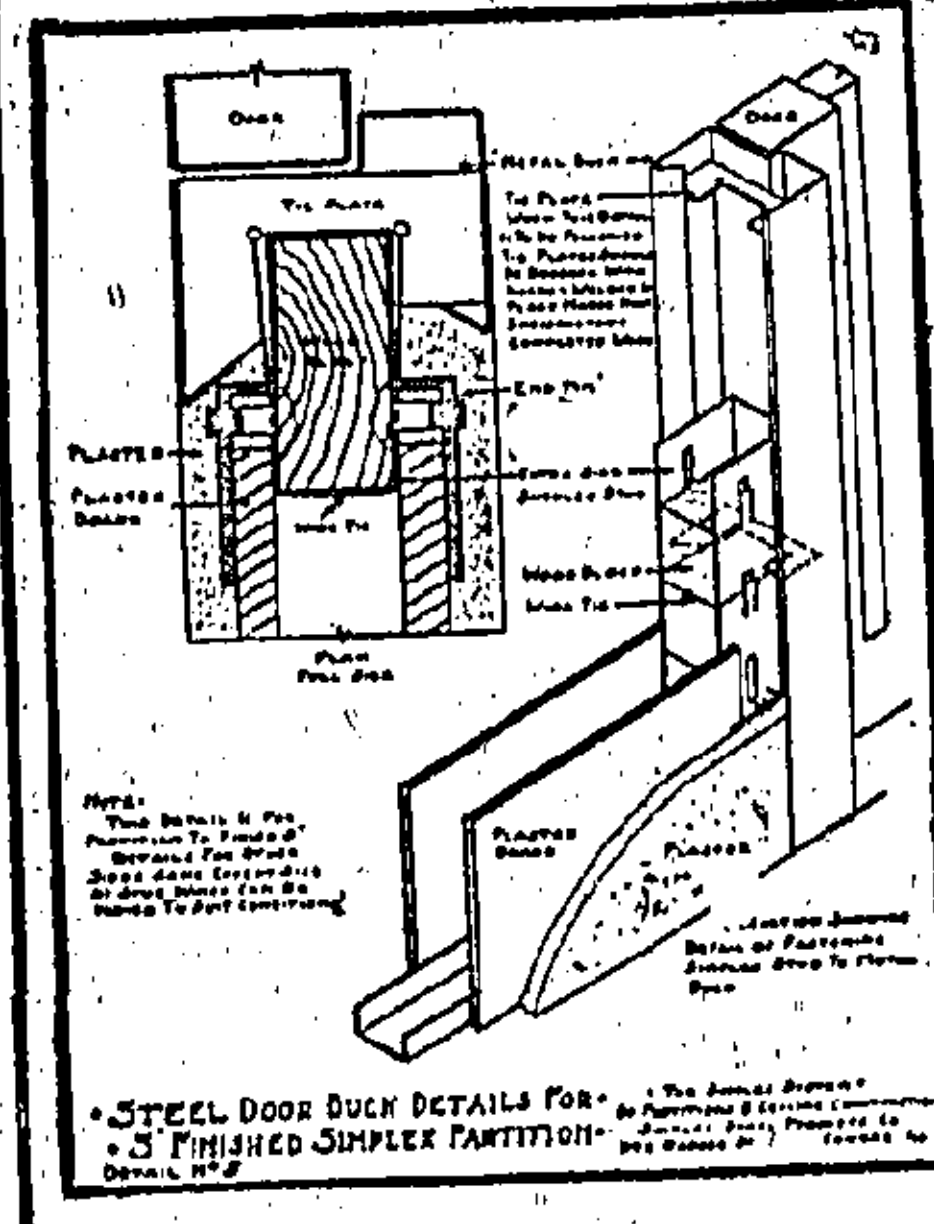
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THE CHINESE UNREST.

STRIKE EXTENDING AT SHANGHAI.

Shanghai, June 13.—The Settlement is tranquil, but the strikes in industrial plants are extending. Local shipping is completely tied up.

Two thousand Fengtienese troops under Chang Hsueh-liang, who arrived this morning, are posted in the thoroughfares on the boundary of the Settlement, which is marked by Chinese flags.

The weather is hot but overcast. —Our Own Correspondent.

Shanghai, June 13.—Chang Hsueh-liang has postponed his departure from Nanking, but 800 of his troops have reached Shanghai and Chang's headquarters are being prepared in Chapei suburb.

A large lowland crowd witnessed the arrival of the Fengtien soldiers but not knowing the motive is inclined to believe that the strike propaganda has had effect, and that the Northerners intend to attack the Settlement. The keynote of the situation here and elsewhere is suppressed excitement among the masses, which the least friction will cause to flare up.

Trial Continues.

The trials of the rioters are continuing, light sentences being imposed upon those found guilty.

H. M. S. Despatch goes from Shanghai to Hankow this morning.

Since there has been considerable easing of the local situation during the past three days, instructions have been given for the withdrawal from duty of a portion of the Defence Force, and these instructions have already been carried out. —Reuter.

Feng Yu-hsiang's Boast.

Peking, June 15.—Feng Yu-hsiang, interviewed by the *Ching Pao* declared that in the case of hostilities with Britain he would be the first in the field. He said that China need not fear England which had a big navy but only a small army. —Reuter.

Paris, June 13.—It is reported from Toulon that the armoured cruiser Jules Michelet is sailing for Shanghai, flying the flag of Rear Admiral Besire. —Reuter.

Hankow, June 6.—There was no development overnight. The situation is quiet.

An anti-foreign riot occurred at Kiukiang to-day. No lives were lost, but the Bank of Taiwan was burned down. —Reuter.

Consulates Attacked.

Shanghai, June 14.—Wireless reports from Kiukiang state that bands of students on Friday evening rioted in various parts of Kiukiang. Concession, one crowd operating on the Bund threw the public seats into the river and broke the gangway of Jardine's hulk, but no serious incident occurred until yesterday morning, when workmen and disorderly elements heavily reinforced the students.

At nine o'clock a crowd of thousands rushed the British Concession, which was quickly turned into complete disorder and confusion. The Municipal Council immediately warned the Chinese authorities that they must restore order. The latter accepted the responsibility but took no action for a couple of hours. Meanwhile the rioters attacked the British and Japanese Consulates, the bank of Taiwan and Nippon Kisen Kaisha offices, which were all set afire. They also broke into several other foreign houses, destroying furniture and looting.

At eleven o'clock Chinese troops arrived and suppressed the riot. Shortly afterwards, a Japanese destroyer landed a party.

No further disturbances are reported. The last message was sent off at 1 a.m.

One Japanese was seriously injured, but no other foreign casualties are reported.

H. M. S. Gnat went from Hankow to Kiukiang yesterday morning. —Reuter.

The American Attitude.

Peking, June 14.—Foreigners generally express the opinion that

the Note to the British Legation is the greatest sign of weakness the Chinese Government has yet shown indicating yielding to the clamour of the Bolshevik vernacular papers and the student extremists, who for the past week have been demanding that China deal with Britain alone.

The Government and the Chinese American educational missionary leaders are doing nothing, at least publicly, to check the students' extreme propaganda. The students' demands accordingly become more extravagant daily. They now demand, *inter alia* the recall of the British and Japanese Ministers from Peking as well as the Consular officers from Shanghai, the handing over of the Foreign Chief of Police at Shanghai to the Chinese Government for punishment, and permanent withdrawal of British and Japanese gunboats from Shanghai waters. —Reuter.

Isolating Britain.

Peking, June 14.—It has been noticeable for some days that the students and the Government are desirous of detaching Britain from the other powers and attaching all the blame for recent events upon Britain.

The Hankow incident has afforded the Government an opportunity to adopt this policy. The Note protesting against the Hankow shootings was handed into the British Legation only. The Note does not mention the rioters' invasion of the Hankow Settlement, the damage to property, etc., but states that the Foreign Minister has heard with great surprise that the British volunteers on the evening of June 11, machine gunned the Chinese, killing eight and wounding 11. It says that while the Shanghai case was still unsettled, against which the Foreign Office has already protested, a terrible case has again happened at Hankow which violates the principles of humanity. The Foreign Office therefore formally protests and reserved the right to make further demands as soon as the real facts are investigated. It requests the Charge D'Affaires to instruct the Consuls and Settlement authorities to refrain from similar acts in the future.

A Belated Mandate.

It is unofficially reported that the Cabinet has decided to issue a mandate instructing the provincial authorities to protect foreigners.

Representatives of all classes of business marched in procession to the Chief Executive this afternoon and urged him to keep firm in the negotiations regarding Shanghai.

Peking is otherwise quiet, but there are indications that a one-day strike is being organised for Monday.

London, June 13.—The General Council of the Trade Union Congress has telegraphed to the Chinese Workers Committee at Peking congratulating the workers "upon their determination to fight international capitalism and secure improved industrial conditions." The message expresses confidence that the Chinese stand will do much to build up a powerful bond of unity between Eastern and Western trades unionism. —Reuter.

London, June 14.—Sir Edwin Stockton, in a letter to the *Times* urges that the conference being held in the Autumn in China to consider the increase in the Customs tariff in accordance with the terms of the Washington Convention should be broadened to take consideration of the whole Chinese problem. —Reuter.

RUSSIAN AERIAL EXPEDITION.

Moscow, June 14.—A Russian aerial expedition en route to Mongolia, consisting of six aeroplanes, has crossed the Ural ridge and arrived at Kourgan. —Reuter.

Revised Chinese Demands.

Peking, June 11.—The Legations last night instructed their delegates to remain in Shanghai where discussions are being continued. The Chinese Delegates yesterday submitted demands based on those already published but omitting the cancellation of extraterritoriality and a few other impossible demands. The Chinese Delegation is in a difficult position owing to intimidation on the part of the strikers. —Reuter.

CORRESPONDENCE.

(To the Editor of the "Hongkong Telegraph.")

The Shanghai Troubles.

Sir.—The best and safest thing for the students and for all the students in China is to leave off at once meddling with the foreigners and stop the nonsense of riots and strikes. As things are it looks as though it is going to be very serious with China and may be the causing of the partitioning of China by the Japanese, and the European powers. China is very weak and the students and people must not run away or think for a moment that China is strong. She is very weak and with all her military forces combined she will never fight against the well trained military forces of Europe. The only way to save China from a Japanese and European invasion and partitioning will be for the students and the military forces in China to put their might together and drive out the Russian Bolsheviks and leave off with their childish ways of rioting, strikes and hostile feeling against the foreigners. What they must do now to save their nation is to kill Bolshevism in China, and do it now and leave the foreigners alone. Foreigners will not trouble or harm you unless you force them to do so, and attack them first, as you have already been doing at Shanghai. It is the Bolsheviks' doctrines that are causing all this trouble in China against the Japanese and Europeans. The sooner Bolshevism is driven out of China the better it will be for the nation. If the Russian Bolsheviks refuse to go out of China when compelled to, the only and one way for China is to call in the help of the American, English, Japanese, French and the Italians to help to drive them out. America and England are China's only staunch friends. Bolshevism is the ruin of any nation. See what it has done to the Russians. Have they benefited by it? No, the contrary, it has meant misery for them. There is enough misery in China this present time without the Russians coming in to make it a million times worse. If China wants to be respected by the civilised world she must not adopt Bolshevism. Labour class and students must stop all riots, strikes and hostile feelings towards the foreigners at once and make friends with the foreigners and not the Russian Bolsheviks, they are the only enemies of China.—Yours etc.,

Lo-Kau.

Canton, June 7, 1925.

QUEEN'S THEATRE.

JACKIE COOGAN ENJOYS MERRY FILM HOMECOMING.

The homecoming of Jackie Coogan as the conquering hero of a circus furnishes one of the brightest bits in his scintillating production of "Circus Days," playing at the Queen's Theatre this week.

Jackie, as Toby Tyler, had been driven away from the farm by his harsh uncle, following the smashing of a window. Having attained success, he comes back to take his widowed mother away from the unhappy environment.

To surprise them, he appears in the same ragged clothes in which he left and says nothing of his good fortune.

Uncle Eben orders Toby and his mother to leave the farm at once, but the little widow begs that they be allowed to stay another day. The farmer is obdurate, however.

Meantime Toby slips out of the house and makes a lightning change. Back he comes clad in the long pants and oddly cut jacket that were the fashion of another generation, and bearing a large paper box.

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Hongkong, 17th. June 1925.

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THE TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be closed from Friday, 12th. June, to Wednesday, 17th. June 1925, both days inclusive.

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S. K. MOOSA,
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Hongkong, 4th. June 1925.

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All broken, chafed and damaged cargo is to be left in the godowns where it will be examined at 10 a.m. on June 18, 1925 by the Company's Surveyors Messrs. Anderson and Ashe.

All claims must be presented within thirty days of the steamer's arrival here, after which they cannot be recognised. No claims will be recognised after the goods have left the godowns, and cargo undelivered on and after June 20, 1925 will be subject to rent.

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All claims must be presented within ten days of the steamer's arrival here, after which date they cannot be recognized.

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The evidence was to the effect that Higgins was found lying amongst a number of street sleepers in Wanchai and he was taken to the No. 2 Station.

"Please send me to the House of Detention," urged the defendant. "If I had any money, I would have gone and had a shave."

His Worship:—Yet you have money to drink.

Defendant again expressed his desire to be committed to the Detention House, to which his worship replied:—I will send you to gaol.

Defendant was fined \$5, or one week's hard labour in default of payment.

CANTON ATROCITIES.

(Continued from Page 1.)

der of the Yunnanese, reports what he actually saw of the atrocities. He states that, bearing a great commotion, he went to the French bridge just in time to see three soldiers arguing with a lonely Yunnanese, who was all the while kow-towing to the soldiers, when two distinct shots rang out and the poor fellow went down in a heap. The soldiers then walked away.

This happened in full view of Shamsen, forty steps from the French bridge. Then the mob ruled for a whole hour, chasing the poor forlorn Yunnanese, beating them with stones, sticks, planks, etc. Two poor wretches were again seen being beaten and chased to the water's edge, and they were bodily thrown in the river. One swam away; the other, being in some difficulty, was stoned to death from Sha-ki.

The man who swam away later returned to the bank when he was finished off with a plank which hit him on his head and he went down bleeding to death. Then followed chase after chase. One poor fellow came very near the French gate, at the very foot of the Commander of the French gunboat Argus who was standing near. The poor wretch was bodily taken away and thrown in the water only two yards from the bridge head.

"All this time the foreigners were shocked and horrified, when two Englishmen accompanied by a bluejacket, went to the French gate, asked the policeman to open it and went out saying "It is too much; we can't stand it any longer." The writer, being near the gate, slipped out with them. The two foreigners raised their hands to stop the crowd murdering the poor fellow in the water and managed to save him.

"The mob then fell back. The writer told them it was disgraceful for a hundred men to murder a single man. They listened quietly and grinned. Then there was another disturbance further up. A man was seen being chased, and, happily for him, he came towards the place where we were standing. The foremost of them struck the poor fellow down at the Englishman's feet, a hand was extended to save him; and the mob held back. Then the foreigner, in Cantonese, told them it was bad and pointed out the error of their ways. In the meantime, the Commander of the Argus, seeing things, came towards us; he also asked the crowd to be calm. Then the Britisher harangued the mob in Cantonese. One replied "For the last two years we have suffered and they have ruined our hearths and homes," whereupon the writer said it was their own mistake to have called them in. Then the foreigner told the writer not to argue but to pacify them. They all—about four hundred of them—listened quietly; then a half-clad Chinese came out and in good English said that the people had suffered greatly, the merchants had been ruined, industry was gone and the Yunnanese were the cause of it. The Chinese seemed to be of the gentleman class, and he thanked all the people who had interfered.

"During all this palaver, for about forty-five minutes, no-one from this blood-thirsty crowd, after the wholesome advice given them, raised a finger to touch or maltreat the poor half-clad Yunnanese who were all the while standing near us. Neither did we hear, to our utter astonishment, any single nasty remark or bad word about the foreigners. The crowd listened all the while as they would to a street orator, and when the police came on the scene the foreigners explained the facts to them. The police then undertook to protect the unfortunate. Then the Commander of the Argus exchanged compliments with the two Englishmen and the two good Samaritans turned out to be no other than the Commander and the Medical Officer of H. M. S. Robin—Lieut. Faure and Dr. Buddell. The gallant Commander knew Cantonese and used it to the best advantage."

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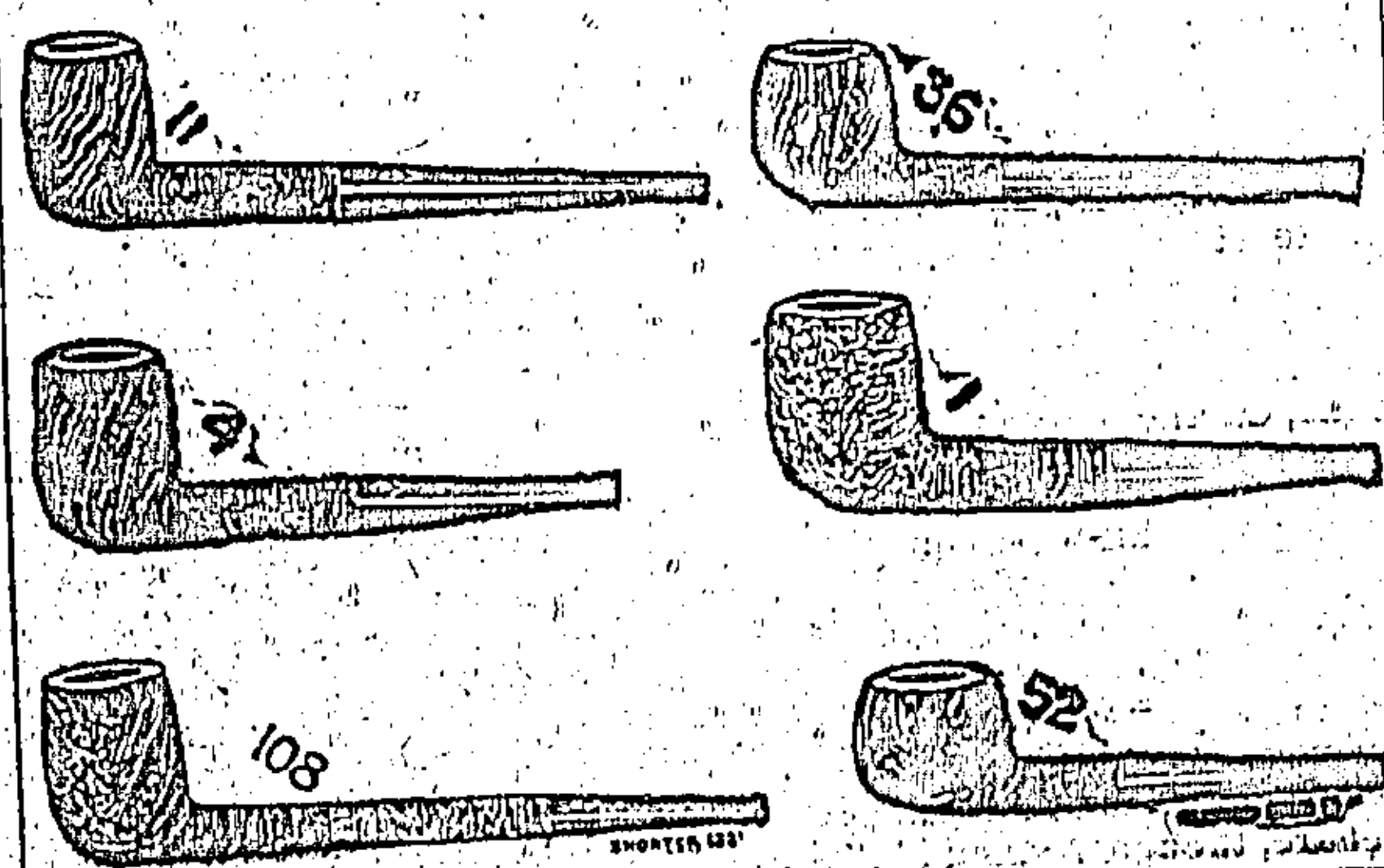
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LAWN BOWLS.

EAST POINT SCORES
FIRST WIN.

The League matches on Saturday ended very much as anticipated, with the exception of the win by Taikeo against Kowloon Dock, which, it was confidently expected, would be by a larger margin than the mere two which sufficed to give them the victory.

Craigengower, playing on the Police ground, were able to cement their position at the head of the table by disposing of the Civil Service with a creditable margin of 12 points, and the Bowling Green also sent the Kowloon Cricket Club down by 44 points. The Bowling Green easily had the best of matters from the start; at the ten interval they were leading by 30 shots. During the latter part of the game they maintained their form, ending easy victors.

In the Second Division, the Indian R. C. mastered the Kowloon Cricket Club by 10 points and the Police scraped through against Taikeo by 12 points. The East Point R. C. were paired against their pointless companions in the League Table, the R. H. K. Yacht Club, and were successful by the respectable margin of 31 points. Detailed results follow:

FIRST DIVISION.

Civil Service v. Craigengower.

Played on the Civil Service Green
Craigengower winning by 12 points.

Civil Service v. Craigengower.

Muskett. 20 Basu. 16

Gibson. 19 Basu. 16

Gregory. 19 Basu. 16

Grimmett. 19 Basu. 16

Smith. 19 Basu. 16

Knight. 19 Basu. 16

Stanley. 19 Basu. 16

Mills. 19 Basu. 16

Oswick. 19 Basu. 16

Allen. 19 Basu. 16

Booker. 19 Basu. 16

Deakin. 19 Basu. 16

Total 54 Total 66

Taikeo v. Kowloon Dock.

Played at Taikeo, the home team
winning by 2 points.

Taikeo v. Kowloon Dock.

Weir. 17 Ramsay. 21

Grimshaw. 17 Ramsay. 21

Russell. 17 Ramsay. 21

Wetherpoon. 17 Ramsay. 21

Laird. 17 Ramsay. 21

Peterson. 17 Ramsay. 21

Morrison. 17 Ramsay. 21

Wallace. 17 Ramsay. 21

Shau. 17 Ramsay. 21

Cath. 17 Ramsay. 21

MacLachlan. 17 Ramsay. 21

Ferguson. 17 Ramsay. 21

Total 62 Total 60

Kowloon C. C. v. Kowloon Bowling Green Club.

Played at K.C.C., the Bowling Green
winning by 34 points.

K.C.C. v. K.B.G.C.

Robinson. 15 Smith. 31

Jack. 15 Smith. 31

Lammert. 15 Smith. 31

Hyde. 15 Smith. 31

Fletcher. 15 Smith. 31

Robson. 15 Smith. 31

Davidson. 15 Smith. 31

Gibson. 15 Smith. 31

Howe. 15 Smith. 31

Ramsay. 15 Smith. 31

Fraser. 15 Smith. 31

Brown. 15 Smith. 31

Total 41 Total 65

SECOND DIVISION.

Police v. Taikeo.

Played at Happy Valley, the Police
winning by eight points.

Police v. Taikeo.

Post. 20 J. Sloan. 11

Whit. 20 J. Sloan. 11

Mair. 20 J. Sloan. 11

J. Clark. 20 J. Sloan. 11

Blackman. 20 J. Sloan. 11

Logan. 20 J. Sloan. 11

Grant. 20 J. Sloan. 11

West. 20 J. Sloan. 11

Sword. 20 J. Sloan. 11

Glendinning. 20 J. Sloan. 11

Reid. 20 J. Sloan. 11

A. Clark. 20 J. Sloan. 11

Total 57 Total 49

Indian R. C. v. K. C. C.

On the Indian Club ground, the home
team winning by 10 points.

Indian R. C. v. K. C. C.

Epstein. 25 Whitely. 12

Nasser. 25 Whitely. 12

Hartman. 25 Whitely. 12

Jemil. 25 Whitely. 12

Buz. 25 Whitely. 12

Jemil. 25 Whitely. 12

Rumjahn. 25 Whitely. 12

Mardar. 25 Whitely. 12

Kharna. 25 Whitely. 12

Hyder. 25 Whitely. 12

Omar. 25 Whitely. 12

Total 72 Total 53

East Point v. Yacht Club.

Played at East Point Club, the home
team winning by 31 points.

East Point v. Yacht Club.

Shaw. 20 Yacht Club. 15

Douglas. 20 Yacht Club. 15

McKee. 20 Yacht Club. 15

A. T. Hamilton. 20 Yacht Club. 15

Total 20 Total 15

LAWN TENNIS.

DAVIS CUP RESULTS.

Paris, June 18.—In the second round of the Davis Cup, France beat Italy by 3 matches to nil.—*Reuter.*Noordwyk, June 18.—In the second round of the Davis Cup, Holland beat Sweden by 3 matches to nil.—*Reuter.*

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

HONGKONG HARBOUR
LEADING LINE EXPUNDED.The following notice to mariners is published in the current *Gazette*, issued by the Admiralty under date May 2.

Hongkong Harbour—Leading Line to be expunged from Chart.

Position—Kingsclere house situated close westward of Peak tramway about 1½ cables southward of Government house.

Lat 22° 17' N, long 114° 09' E. (approx.)

Details—Kingsclere house, together with the leading line and note "Left extreme of Kingsclere Ho. in line with Chimney in Royal Naval Dockyard 235" is to be expunged from the chart. Kingsclere house, which is in process of demolition, is also to be removed from the list of conspicuous objects at Hongkong, shown near upper margin of the chart.

CONCESSIONS IN
RUSSIA.

AMERICAN APPLICANTS.

Moscow, June 13.—The formal agreement relating to the Chiatura manganese mines concession has been signed between the Soviet Government and the Harri-man combine. The contract requires the concessionaires to erect certain buildings and instal plant, including complete railway communication, spending thereon \$4,000,000. The railways will afterwards pass into the hands of the Government.

The concessionaires must export sixteen million tons of manganese during the twenty years of the contract and pay the Government three dollars per ton during the first three years, and afterwards four dollars. The Government receives 50 per cent. of the profits if the price of manganese is raised above a fixed sum. Provision is made for arbitration in case of dispute.

It is stated in Moscow that over a hundred American concession proposals have been received by the principal Concessions Committee, most of which are important, particularly in the domain of forest, exploitation.—*Reuter.*

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LEAGUE TABLES.

Division I.

Craigengower C. C.	P. W. D. L. P.
Taikeo R. C.	7 5 0 1 12
Kowloon B. C.	7 5 0 1 12
Kowloon Dock.	7 3 1 3 7
Civil Service C. C.	7 2 1 4 5
Kowloon C. C.	7 2 0 5 4

Division II.

Police R. C.	7 7 0 0 14
Taikeo R. C.	6 4 0 2 8
Kowloon C. C.	7 4 0 3 8
Indian R. C.	6 3 0 3 6
East Point R. C.	6 0 0 5 2
R. H. K. Y. C.	6 0 0 6 0

SHOTS FOR AND AGAINST.

Division I.

Taikeo	469	364	105	0
Craigengower	447	389	60	0
Civil Service	405	415	0	0
Kowloon B. C.	410	438	2	4
Kowloon Dock	400	414	0	14
Kowloon C. C.	337	491	0	14

Division II.

Police	474	240	134	0
Taikeo	356	312	44	0
Indian R. C.	371	315	60	0
Kowloon C. C.	402	414	0	12
East Point R. C.	395	351	0	26
R. H. K. Y. C.	245	441	0	100

FOOTBALL LAW.

ALTERATION OF OFFSIDE
RULING.Paris, June 15.—At a meeting of the International Association Football Board, it was decided to alter the offside law so that a player shall not be offside if two, instead of three opposing players are between him and the opposing goal line. It was also decided that a player throwing in from touch must stand outside the line instead of with his feet on the line.—*Reuter.*

OBITUARY.

FAMOUS ARTIST.

London, June 13.—The death is announced of the landscape painter, Hildeson Liddell.—*Reuter.*

Mr. T. Hildeson Liddell was born in 1860. He travelled in China and in 1900 held an exhibition of water colour paintings in this part of the world, at the Fine Art Society. He also wielded a facile pen and was known as an author as well as an illustrator of China's marvel and mystery. His principal pictures at the Royal Academy were "Sabbath of Still Rest," "An Old Waterway," "A Fen Flood," "Springtime," "A Band of the Avon," and others.

WORLD THEATRE.

"TEMPORARY MARRIAGE."

Entertainment for the majority is provided in this principal picture, which is showing at the World Theatre to-day, a rather elaborate treatment of the divorce theme. It is done in a slightly sensational fashion with effective scenes pointing indirectly to the evils of being too worldly-minded. A trial scene furnishes a good climax, carrying the suspense to the close.

The cast is a group of performers who have established their success so many times that their appearance is bound to attract interest. Mildred Davis gives performances that are unusually appealing. She is more than a pretty, dainty ingenue, which is a considerable attraction in itself, and she is distinctly clever. She handles situations, not in themselves strikingly original, in a manner that deserves and gets undivided attention. Other favourites in the cast are Kenneth Harlan, Stuart Holmes, Maude George and Myrtle Steadman.

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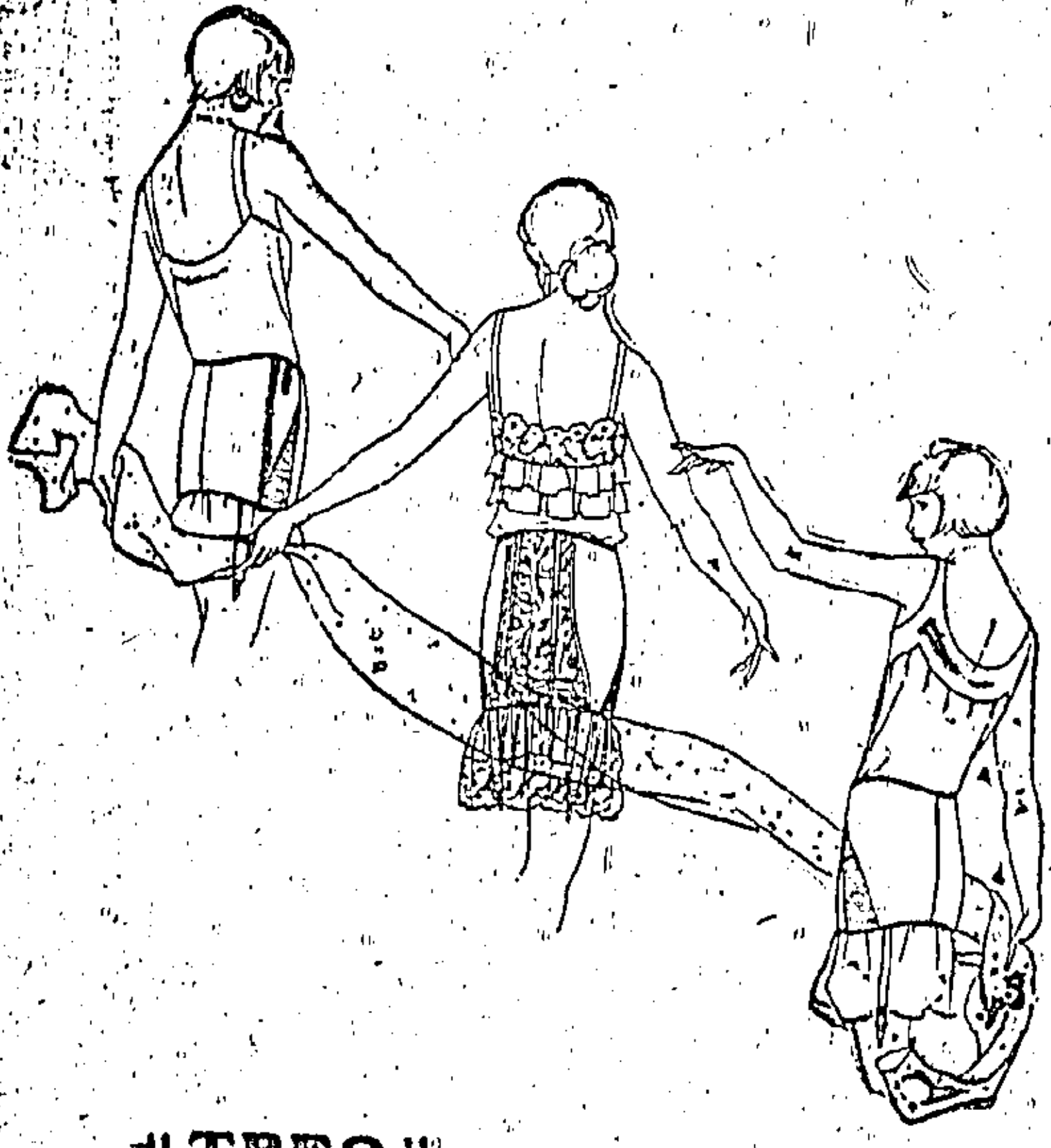
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The Telegraph.

HONGKONG, 15th June, 1925.

DISTORTING THE FACTS.

At the moment there is a deal of totally unwarranted and foolish talk of foreign oppression and so-called Imperialistic aggression in China. This would not greatly matter did it stop at talk, but the spread of such ideas amongst the easily-led masses only serves to raise feelings of hatred, which in turn are liable to translate themselves into acts of violence. The fomenting of this kind of strife is regrettable enough in itself, but one of its worst features is that it creates wrong impressions in Europe and the United States that these incidents are typical of the feeling which exists between foreigners and Chinese. We who are on the spot know how false an estimation of the facts this is, for all but the most rabid extremists—the mischief-makers on either side—will agree that amongst the bulk of the foreigners and the Chinese there is no fundamental enmity and not the slightest cause for anything but the most friendly feelings one towards the other. It only requires a moment's thought to realise that in their business and other relations friendly contact between the two elements is absolutely essential; the encouragement of the opposite spirit would be fatal to the interests of both. In the realm of commerce as in other spheres as well we are both essential to each other; and the general realisation of that fact is in itself sufficient to give the lie to these tales of a desire by foreigners to oppress and dominate the Chinese.

Can it seriously be suggested that the foreign business men in China are at enmity with the Chinese with whom they have dealings or with whom they hope to cultivate commercial connections? Or, to put it the other way round, does the average Chinese merchant really look upon the foreigner as an unscrupulous trickster whose one aim is to bleed him white? Of course not. Yet that is the impression which gains currency abroad, thanks to the lying pro-

paganda of mischief-makers and trouble-mongers. We assert what we know to be the truth when we say that as between the bulk of the Chinese and the majority of the foreigners there never was a time when they better understood each other or were more friendly disposed one towards another. It would be a suppression of the truth did we not admit that there are bullying foreigners and insolent Chinese occasionally to be met with. But it can most emphatically be said that these black sheep are in no sense typical of the flocks. All the same, a very heavy responsibility rests on these few individuals; in them is to be found the source of much of the present trouble in the East. These are the facts as we see them. They convey their own lesson, which we sincerely trust will be taken to heart by all who would wish to see peace and concord prevail in the troubled East.

Flies.

The complaint of a correspondent as to the large number of flies which have appeared at some parts of the Peak district, is doubly interesting because, on enquiry, we learn that Kowloon is experiencing only a comparatively moderate visitation up to date, in contrast with the absolute plague last year. But perhaps Kowloonites are merely being given false hopes, and the worst has yet to come. It certainly appears to be too early in the summer to state definitely whether the appearance of flies is comparatively moderate in any particular district; but at the same time the large numbers reported from the Peak are quite unusual, and suggest that some new breeding place has come into existence nearby. The flies in Kowloon are usually supposed to come from the New Territories, where sanitary measures are difficult to enforce, if not impossible in a few areas. That, at least, was the reason given by the authorities at one of the Sanitary Board meetings last year, though it could not be denied that many flies, including the most filthy of all, popularly known as the bluebottle, are bred in the Tsimshatui area itself. The time is opportune, all over the Colony, to tackle the matter of breeding places, and thus possibly spare the community from much of the sickness which developed last summer, including typhoid, which is generally (in the absence of more definite information) considered to be fly-borne so far as this place is concerned.

Ants.

From flies to flying ants is not a difficult transition when one is writing by electric light in the late evening. For some weeks the bulk of the foreigners and the Chinese there is no fundamental enmity and not the slightest cause for anything but the most friendly feelings one towards the other. It only requires a moment's thought to realise that in their business and other relations friendly contact between the two elements is absolutely essential; the encouragement of the opposite spirit would be fatal to the interests of both. In the realm of commerce as in other spheres as well we are both essential to each other; and the general realisation of that fact is in itself sufficient to give the lie to these tales of a desire by foreigners to oppress and dominate the Chinese.

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DAY BY DAY.

HE IS RICH OR POOR ACCORD-
ING TO WHAT HE IS, NOT
ACCORDING TO WHAT HE HAS—
Heavy Word Beecher.

Amongst the passengers who left by the P. and O. liner Kalyan on Saturday were Lieut.-Comdr. and Mrs. S. Hocken and Mr. and Mrs. Quarles van Ufford.

The silk which left here by the P. and O. s.s. Sardinia on the 16th May (transhipped to s.s. Moldavia at Colombo) arrived at Marseilles on the 13th June, a transit of 28 days.

A matchbox was razed to the ground in a fire occurring at Taiwan, on the other side of Kowloon Docks last night. The shed was occupied by about 20 coolies, a number of whom managed to rescue their belongings.

Mr. T. Arnett, manager of the Green Island Cement Works, prosecuted a Chinese before Mr. E. W. Hamilton, at the Kowloon Magistracy this morning, on a charge of larceny of an electric fan on the 1st inst. His Worship imposed sentence of four months' hard labour, the defendant having two previous convictions.

Four Filipino labourers were arraigned before Mr. E. W. Hamilton, at the Kowloon Magistracy this morning, on charges of stowing away on the President Jackson from Manila. The defendants pleaded guilty and were sentenced to four days' hard labour, after which they will be repatriated by the Company's next ship.

Arising out of an accident occurring on Friday night in Des Vaux Road Central, a motor car driver appeared before Mr. S. B. B. McElderry, at the Central Magistracy this morning, on a charge of reckless driving. He was remanded. It was stated that an old woman, an old man and a young child were injured and were now lying at the Government Civil Hospital.

A mis-statement occurred in our issue of Saturday to the effect that a Chinese contractor had recently salvaged the s.s. Honam and that she was unable to sail on account of engine trouble. The news was forwarded us by a local correspondent and was apparently intended to refer to another vessel, as the Honam is still owned by the Hongkong, Canton and Macao Steamboat Company and has had no engine trouble.

The American Oriental liner President Jackson, Captain J. Griffiths, left yesterday afternoon from the Kowloon wharves carrying a well-known local shipping man and his family, namely Mr. A. W. Anderson of the U.S.S. Board, bound for Japan. Mr. Anderson has been in charge of the local Shipping Board office for quite some time, and was well liked and esteemed in Hongkong shipping circles. He leaves with the best wishes of all his friends at this port for his continued success in his new position in Kobe.

Better than the book and more virile than the stage version, is Harry Millard's pictorialization of A. S. M. Hutchinson's best seller, "If Winter Comes," which starts to-day at the Coronet Theatre. It may have been true, as a programme note credited to the famous author stated, that it was "famed almost without departure from the narrative," but if so, the censor is probably to blame for the failure to portray the true character of Mabel. Otherwise, however, as Mr. Hutchinson further avowed, it is an absolutely faithful revelation of his novel, from which the actors seemingly step directly from the pages in lifeless detail.

The Chinese Economic Monthly for May contains, among other interesting articles, a very illuminating survey of the savings societies movement in Manchuria, which has developed enormously in only a few years, and is the means not only of fostering agriculture but also of encouraging thrift. The shareholders get substantial interest returns on their deposits. Other subjects fully dealt with are the production in China of saltpetre, indigo, and rice (illustrated), and there are illustrated articles on Chinese pawnshops and on rickshaws in Shanghai and Peking. The economic aspects and prospects of Suiyuan and the gold franc settlement are also reviewed.

PLAY AND PLAYERS.

DUPRE-CARTLIDGE BOUT: WRONG DECISION.

By "Wanderer."

Two splendid fights with Jim Cartlidge, and an error of judgment in each, constitute the record in this Colony of Andre Dupre, ex-featherweight champion of France. His mistake in the first fight was that of leaving his effort too late, and on Saturday, when the return bout was staged, he left too much to the powers of discomfitment of the referee. Dupre is a boxer who seldom leads and fights only occasionally; he waits for his openings and scores quietly when he sees them with rapid lefts and right crosses. Dupre did some very clever boxing. For the first eight rounds he was satisfied to duck around the more or less wild blows. Cartlidge was sending in the general direction of his jaw, to slip neatly aside when Cartlidge indulged in his rather ungainly rushes, to counter neatly scoring sometimes two blows to one; but it is the man who carries the fight to his opponent regardless of the consequences who finds favour in Hongkong.

Dupre apparently did not know that; he probably thought that his artistry was nullifying the non-stop offensive of Cartlidge; thought himself justified in being confident of the verdict after he had, in the latter half of the fight, met Cartlidge at his own game, fighting—and beat him at it. He was wrong. The judges disagreed and the referee declared Cartlidge the winner. The decision was a bad one, in my opinion, and it came as the greatest surprise to those who had followed the fight closely. The judges having arrived at different conclusions the only possible verdict was a draw. Cartlidge, it will be admitted, did wonderfully well, better perhaps than anticipated; he won six of the first twelve rounds, three of them were Peter Pauls, and the other three went to the French boy. The thirteenth, fourteenth and fifteenth were decidedly in favour of Dupre.

Having dispossessed myself of that and to come to a more pleasing topic, the fight itself, both men were in better trim than when first they met. Jim Cartlidge was stronger and Dupre was speedier. A commentator in the seat below my own, suggested that Dupre was a bit of a runner. He was right. In the early rounds, the French boy showed footwork worthy perhaps of a hundred yards sprinter, but his ducking and running were all part of the plan of campaign. It would have been far from wise for him to have stood up to and fought Cartlidge early on; he had been well instructed; he was told to keep the fight at long range and he was content to send over his annoying lefts from a distance.

Cartlidge made the fight with his in-rushing aggressive style and when Dupre's left whipped over, he came on with increased determination. He was, however, opposed to a boxer whose general ring work was on a much higher plane. We had a really clever boxer against a strong and bustling rival, and to go further into details would be superfluous.

The contest opened very quietly, Dupre being content to work round the ring and allow his opponent to lead—and miss. Both men scored with lefts, but no real work was done, in the first round. Warming up to it in the second, Cartlidge was continually the aggressor. The suddenness of his attack, after sparring for an opening, often found Dupre in a state of semi-unpreparedness, but the French boy always got well out of danger when he thought fit, and when inclined to stand up to it, had by no means the worst of the exchanges. The third and fourth rounds were almost on a par with the second, Cartlidge earning just a shade the advantage in each.

Clinching was all-too-frequent in the fifth, as a matter of fact there was more clinching than really necessary throughout the fight—and there was just a suspicion that Cartlidge's elbow was doing rather more than its fair share, though I should be the last to suggest that this was in any way deliberate. Dupre had the better by a narrow margin, and coming up for the sixth, commenced as though he were about to settle down to a serious work for the first time. He scored cleverly with both

hands but Cartlidge towards the end negated his effort and held his own. Cartlidge was fighting all he knew, refusing to be enticed into attack with Dupre waiting on the ropes, and he had evidently taken lessons of the first fight to heart. His aggressiveness about this stage was more apparent than real and often he was seen endeavouring to draw his opponent's lead. Crisp hitting by both men in the seventh, Cartlidge connected beautifully to the chin midway through, found weak spots in their armour, and though Dupre stood up to it more than he had done previously, Cartlidge put him out of his stride, and won the round. The eighth was Dupre's by a small margin. He whipped his left continually into Cartlidge's face, while the latter was forcing him to give ground.

Cartlidge sailed in with both hands when the gong sounded for the ninth, but though he landed three rights early on, Dupre was going away each time and evaded the full force of the blows. Cartlidge added round nine to his quota, but in the tenth with Dupre taking the offensive for a change, he was the recipient of several nasty jabs. Dupre's rights to the body Cartlidge found very troublesome and he certainly did not relish a heavy one which he took towards the end. Cartlidge took Dupre by surprise in the following session and had piled up useful points by the time the French boy had recovered his balance. Dupre fought back but the round went to Cartlidge. The twelfth saw no advantage either way.

Dupre's attack to the body had brought Cartlidge's guard down and when he commenced his effort in the thirteenth he found it comparatively easy to land to the face. Cartlidge, however, was giving nothing away and fought back, though Dupre's two-handed work stood him in good stead. Dupre in the fourteenth was outstandingly superior and was putting weight behind it but Cartlidge was as hard as nails. Dupre boxed forcefully, wasting very little, and scoring points consistently carried off the honours in the final round also. The French boy once caught his opponent with a sharp heavy right to the jaw but Cartlidge stalled off his attempts to repeat the blow.

Cartlidge's attack was, for the major part of the fight, most persistent, but it was impossible to agree with the referee's verdict. The house was packed, to overflowing.

THE MINOR BOUTS.

A persistent left being continually jabbed into his face with plenty of vim behind it, was more than Major could overcome. In the fourth he showed signs of an ability to get round it but he fell away again and when Drummer Bowles brought his right into play, Major was obliged to give up. Bowles fought a clever fight.

In its essentials, much the same as the big fight A. B. Ringham obtained an undeserved decision over Pto. Pooloy. Ringham went into the contest with both arms swinging like flails and doing all he was told not to do. Pooloy stood up to him well, punching effectively and doing quite enough to win. He was by far the better boxer, Ringham being content with his bull-like rushes.

The Eaton-Thomson fight was not thrilling. Thomson displayed more judgment than the soldier, and, though hard put to it occasionally, scored a good win.

Piper staged a remarkable come-back against Pto. Mann. The soldier fought cleverly and floored his opponent three times in the first four rounds. He had many chances of applying the final touch but let them pass and Piper coming up strongly for the fifth applied the k.o. after luckily landing the blow which did the damage.

Rogers, conceding twelve pounds to Pto. Williamson, gave a great display, though I was inclined to the view that a draw would have been a better decision than a verdict in his favour. Williamson damaged his hand in the final round and was about to retire when the gong sounded.

CANTON PERSONALITIES.

The Victorious and the Defeated Generals.



GENERAL NGAI BONG-PING.



GENERAL YEUNG HI-MAN.

Above are the two outstanding military leaders in the developments occurring in Canton. General Ngai Bong-ping is Commander-in-Chief of the victorious Cantonese Army whilst General Yeung Hi-man, who was chief of the defeated Yunnanese troops, has now fled to Hongkong.

LAST LINE LIMERICK CONTEST.

The fifth week of our Missing-Line Limerick Competition commences to-day. This time, a local theme has been used. Ten dollars is offered for the best last line.

Last Line for This Limerick Must Reach the Telegraph Office by Noon on Monday, 22nd June, 1925. Envelopes must be marked "Limerick."



A musical girl in Kowloon
Would practice from daybreak
till noon.
The K. R. A. wrote
A very stiff note.

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THE CANTONESE VICTORY.

(Continued from Page 1.)

miles away from Taishatau. Here they intended to stay the night to hold up the onward march of the Bolshevik force, which had reached Shektau, a few miles this side of Sheklung.

"A gun east of the city boomed at intervals during the night, and another gun farther east and south could be just heard answering. The reflection of the nearer guns, on White Cloud Mountain, could be seen on the sky. This morning at daylight the firing recommenced in earnest and it was evident that a battle was taking place not far from Shekpei.

"The people in the villages east of Canton are sending their girls and valuables into the city. They are terrified and refuse to answer questions put to them by strangers, not knowing to which party the stranger belongs. It is heart-rending to see these people who are the producers of food and who serve this city so well, leaving their farms and stock to the mercies of a victorious army.

Later.
"The retreat of the Yunnanese has begun in earnest. Thousands are now marching back towards the City from Tungshan. Some wounded are being carried on litters and not a few wounded are walking. The retreating Yunnanese are hotly pursued by the Uet Kwan and a fusillade of bullets from the hills around the Kung-Yee Hospital is taking its toll of the retreating forces.

"The rear-guard of the Yunnanese made a stand on the Great East Road, between the Shah Hoh Road and the Kung-Yee Hospital. A sharp tussle, lasting ten minutes, took place, but the Yunnanese yielded to Uet Kwan and soon after the crowds of Cantonese came along the road. Meanwhile, a similar skirmish can be heard on the river front opposite the cement works, evidently a more serious fight than that at Kung-Yee for a heavier gun is being used. It is evident that the Yunnanese have been driven back and that the Cantonese hold the Eastern end of the city.

Later.
"The sound of bugles, an occasional whistle, and the marching song of some of the victorious troops is all that can be heard as I sit in this office which one hour ago was filled with the deafening crack of gunfire. The Uet Kwan are victorious and now occupy the barracks held by the Kwangsi and Yunnanese forces in the eastern parts of Canton."

REJOICING.

The Kongmoon steamer On Lee, Captain R. Colles, R. N. R., returned from Kongmoon and Pakkai yesterday. Passengers arriving by her state that there was great rejoicing in all the Sze Yap district on Saturday on account of the victory of the Government army at Canton, which the whole population somehow had got wind of as early as 1 p.m. on Saturday. Big processions, with bugles and drums, and flags flying, paraded the streets, and thousands of firecrackers were fired off during the day.

STRIKE RUMOURS.

It is reported that the Canton labourites held a meeting yesterday to consider a general strike in sympathy with Shanghai. This meeting is said to have decided to hold a demonstration parade to-day. It is thought that a strike on the Shamoon is almost sure to take place.

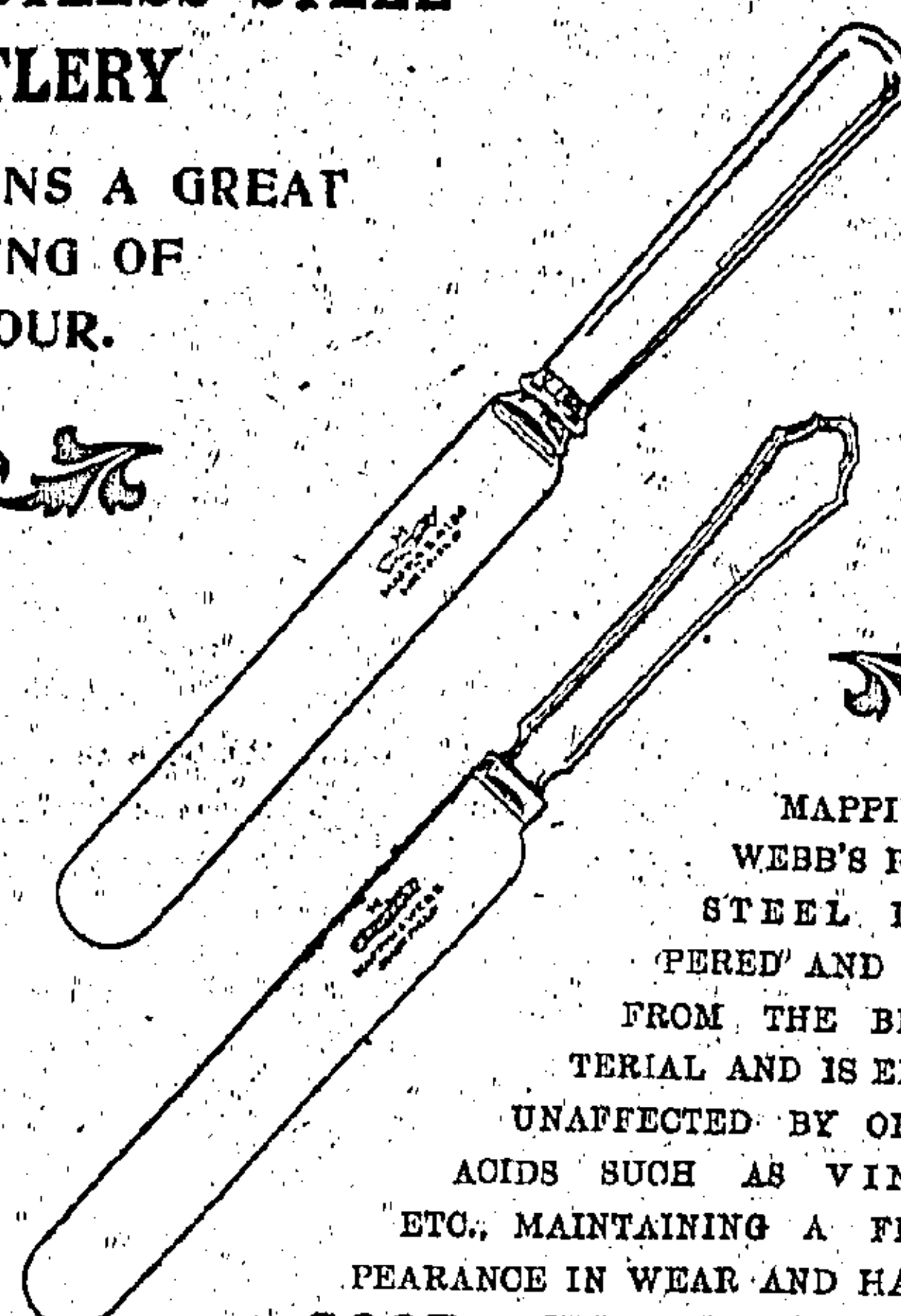
BRAVERY REWARDED.

SILVER MEDAL AWARDED TO SEAMAN.

At the commencement of the meeting of the Legislative Council this morning, H.E. the Governor (Sir Edward Stubbs, K.C.M.G.), made an interesting presentation.

A Chinese seaman, named Wong Yat, was the recipient. His Excellency explaining that Wong Yat was one of the seamen who manned the boat which left the s.s. Bowes Castle during the typhoon of August 19th, 1923, and were instrumental in saving three survivors of the s.s. Leonggang. On behalf of H.M. the King, His Excellency had pleasure in presenting the silver medal for gallantry in saving life at sea.

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YANKEES HIT OUT.

FOUR IN SIXTH GIVES
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[BY "WANDERER."]

Doing the unexpected is part of every great game's repertoire but the unexpected as interpreted on Saturday when the Hongkong Baseball Club met the Japanese in the first ball game of the season, was a four run innings which gave the Yanks the long end of a 6-4 score.

H. E. the Governor flashed across the season's first official affirmative, Sir Claud Severn acting as catcher. His Excellency was accompanied by his A. D. C. Capt. Neville, Mr. Gaisford St. Lawrence, Commodore, Mrs. and Miss Stirling, the Hon. Mr. P. H. Holyoak, and Miss J. Holyoak.

The Japanese batted first and though Werschkul, pitching for the Yankees, specialised occasionally in weight putting, allowed Hachiuma to walk after Kusano had been put out at first, and saw Honda hit him hard for second base on an error, he put up some good deliveries and managed to strike Yokoi out after Uno had been caught on a fly to centre.

We never heard Dome sing, but we like the way he plays that wooden instrument called a baseball bat. After Church had walked to first and pilfered second, and Wilson with a three-bagger had brought Church home, he hit a two to centre and the Yanks were two runs up.

When the Japanese came up for the third time, they took full advantage of loose pitching and mistakes in the field, and Hachiuma, Honda and Uno all reached the home plate. Church at second base was once passed the ball on a plate, but he failed to recognise it, and converted a local base running error into a run. Undoubtedly encouraging to the Japanese, though perhaps Church will decide that in future he will not build sand castles during the course of a game.

In the fifth the Japanese scored a run off Drought who had taken the place of Werschkul, but thereafter he tied them up tightly.

The Yankees had almost forgotten the colour of the home plate, no one having passed it since the first frame. Ishimatsu was tiring, however, and in the sixth Drought, Church, Hogan and Wilson commenced a relay race, which, with Dome again hitting safely, brought them all home to secure the winning lead. Drought was given the responsibility of bursting the pretensions of the Japanese in the

FLIES ON PEAK.

NEED OF INVESTIGATION.

We have received the following letters for publication:—

Sir,—May I be permitted space in your valuable paper to endorse the remarks of "Nolikeetypoid" in Saturday's Telegraph regarding the incidence of flies on the Peak? I think something should certainly be done immediately with a view to discovering the cause and remedial measures effected without delay.

I feel sure that, if all the Peak residents were to inspect their kitchens at the present time, very many more voices would be raised in demand that the reason for this plague of flies be investigated at once.

Enclosing my card,
Yours etc.
ANTI-TYPHOID.
Hongkong, June 15th, 1925.

Sir,—"Nolikeetypoid" has done well to draw attention to the plague of house flies on the Peak. It is quite an unusual and alarming state of affairs, and, in the urgent interest of public health, I trust residents will protest in sufficient numbers to cause an enquiry to be immediately instituted. Yesterday afternoon, I was compelled to do so under a mosquito net!

Yours etc.
PEAK RESIDENT.
Hongkong, June 15th, 1925.

PUBLIC MONEY.

EMPIRE EXHIBITION VOTE.

The Finance Committee of the Legislative Council, at to-day's meeting, approved the following votes:—

\$22,500 in aid of the Public Works, Extraordinary, Hongkong, Conduit Road widening.
\$1,800 on account Public Works, Extraordinary, Hongkong, concrete tank for the storage of submarine cables.

\$10,000 in aid of the vote Public Department, Secret Service.

\$25,000 in aid of the vote Miscellaneous Services, British Empire Exhibition.

seventh innings. Honda reached first and stole second and third, but Uno and Takatomi were struck out, and Yokoi alighted out a fly which Church caught with his knees bent.

Both teams hit flies for the greater part of the afternoon, neither set of in-fielders having to handle more than three or four hits.

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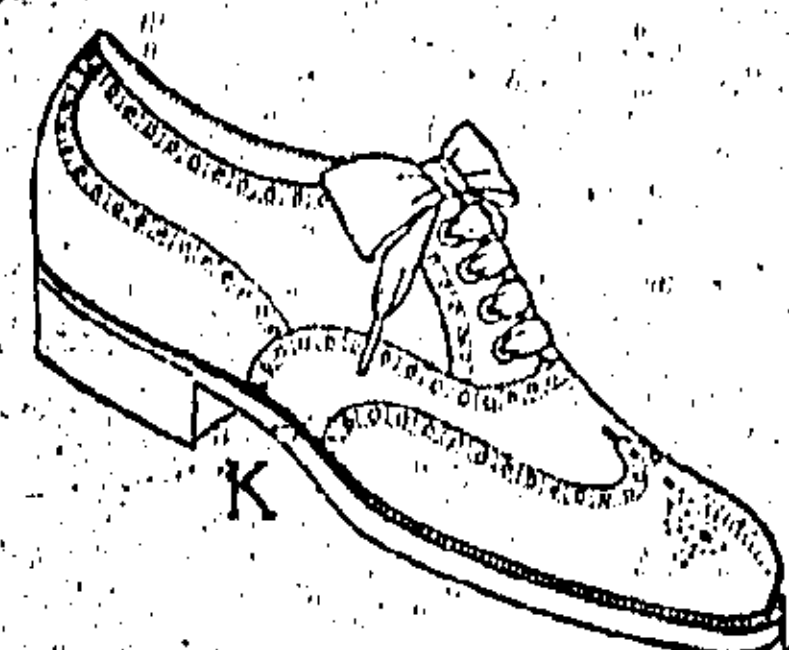
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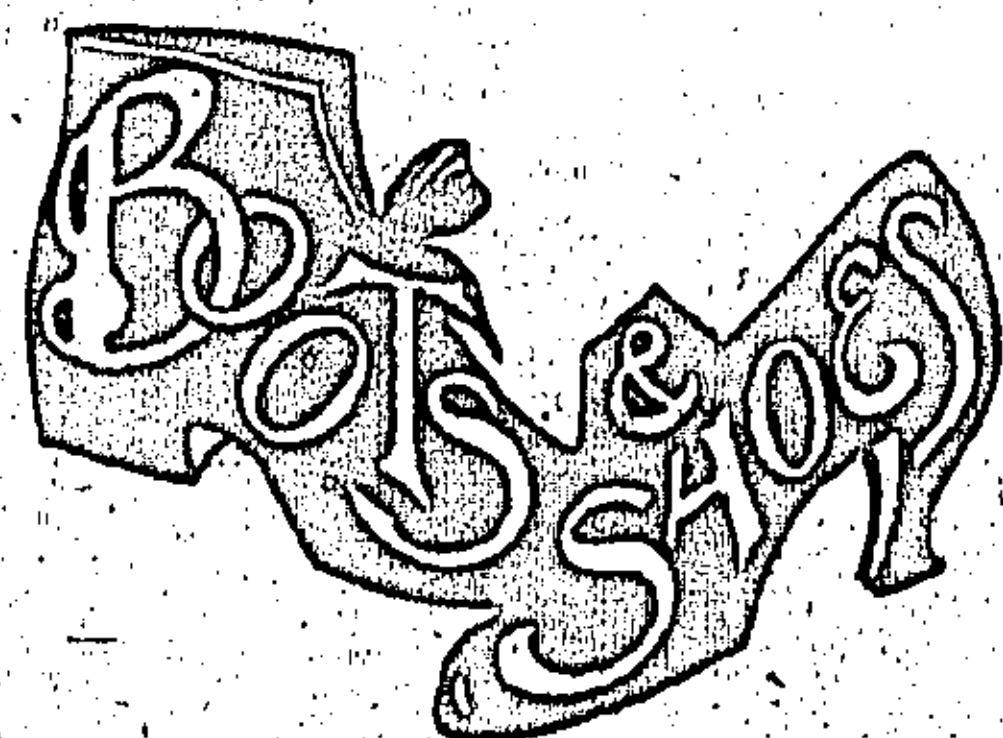
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Dorothy May Nourse, 16, of Roxbury, Mass., who in a year has won eight beauty prizes in her home state, says her beauty is natural, but she shows excellent technique in handling her lip stick. Exercise, swimming and riding horseback has enabled her to fill her home with beauty trophies, she says.

Presentation.



Vincent Lopez, jazz orchestra leader, was presented with the silver-chased baton of Giacomo Puccini, the noted composer, by the Italian Society of Authors before he sailed for England. Miss Eva Clark is shown making the presentation.

The "Black Hand."



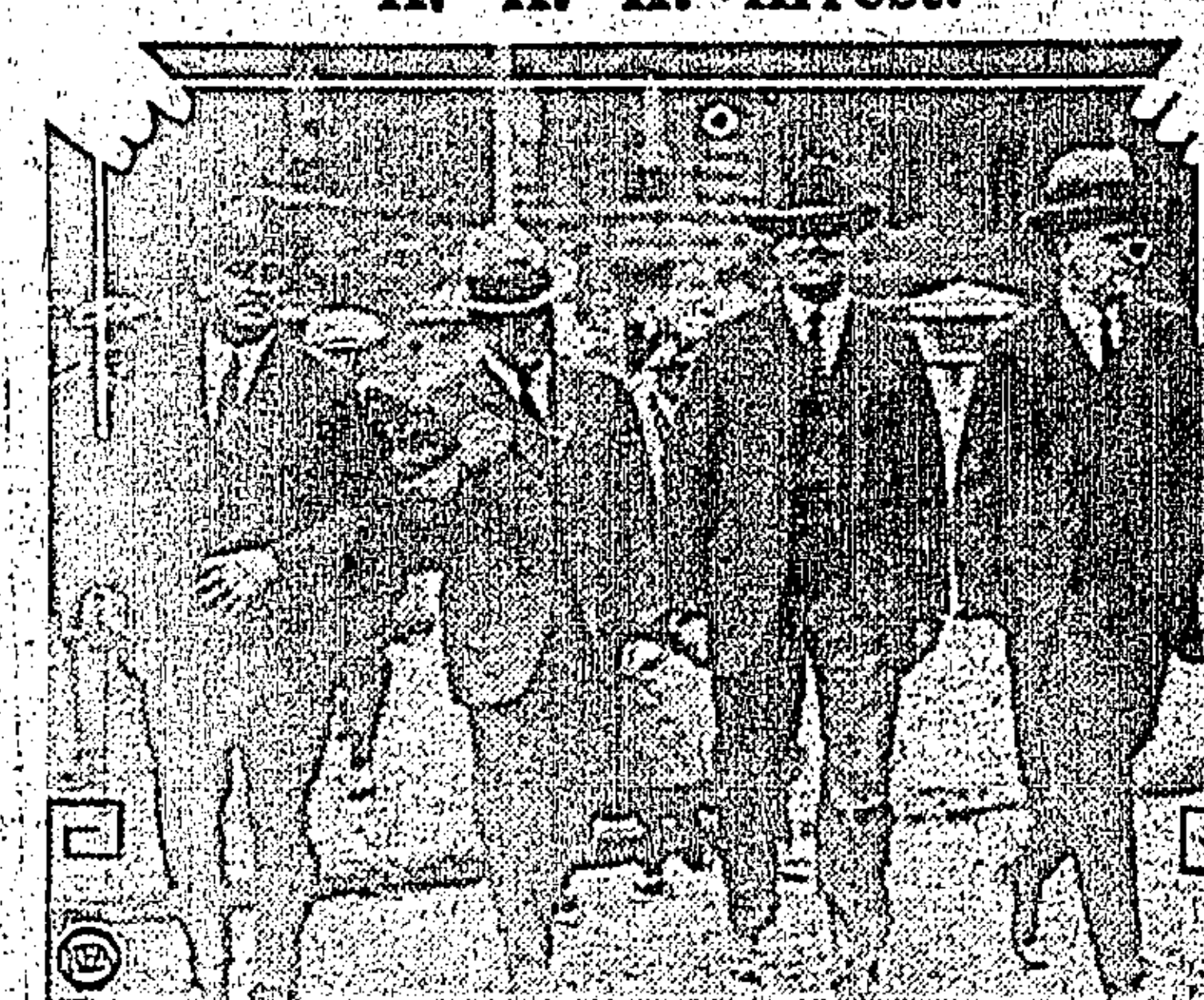
A blackhand plot is suspected by police in the bombing of the fruit store of Thomas Pusatore, at Swissvale, a suburb of Pittsburgh. Above is shown searchers at work in the ruins of the building, which was completely demolished. Several adjoining buildings were damaged and a score of homes shaken. Six persons are known to have been killed and the property damage will be near \$500,000.

The Moroccan Fighting.



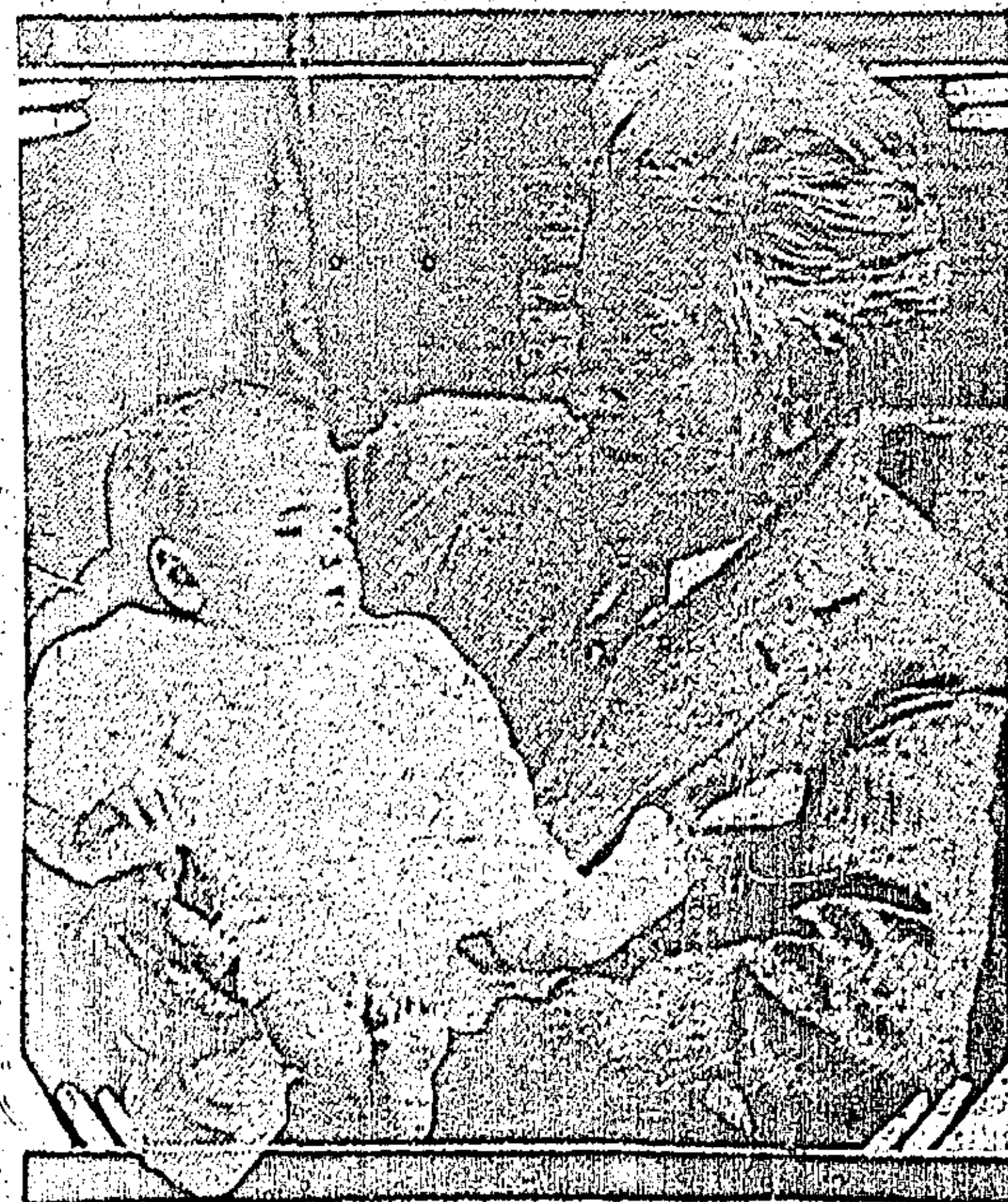
Here is the market place in Fez, Morocco. At present Fez is threatened by the Rifian Moors under the leadership of Abd-el-Krim, who has now, after his successful defeat of the Spanish troops, turned his attention to the French, whom he is attacking on three fronts in his endeavour to force his way to Fez.

K. K. K. Arrest.



Here is D. C. Stephenson, organizer and former head of the Ku Klux Klan, at Indianapolis, leaving the county jail with his lieutenants where they are confined without bail on a charge of murdering Miss Madge Hoberholzer. Left to right they are William Anderson, deputy sheriff; D. C. Stephenson, Earl Kinck and Earl Gentry.

First Public Appearance.



Robert Sucher La Follette, 5 months old, is shown here making his first public appearance with his grandfather, Senator Robert M. La Follette of Wisconsin. Robert Jr. is the only grandchild.

Musician.



Senor Ruben Montiel, regarded as Mexico's greatest violinist will appear in America in a number of concerts.

A Real Armful.



Here we have the founding of the sixth party—at least in the home of Senator Burton K. Wheeler. Little Miss Wheeler as yet unnamed, arrived while her father was fighting court charges in Montana. She is shown with her nurse, Miss Catherine Waxter, and two kittens, also new arrivals at the Wheeler home. She is the sixth child, there being two other daughters and three sons.

SHARE QUOTATIONS.

Stock Exchange.	Sharebrokers' Association.
Banks.	Banks.
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Chartered Bank n. 2137	b. 2214
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NOT OF AGE?

A GUARANTEE DISPUTE.

The most interesting feature of a claim made by the Industrial and Commercial Bank, Ltd., against a Chinese named Chan Ping-sham, the hearing of which commenced in the Supreme Court this morning, was that the defendant had not attained his majority on the date he signed the guarantee and was, therefore, not liable under it.

The Bank originally sued Chan Ping-sham, Fook Cheong and Chan Liu-chia, merchants of 50 Des Voeux Road Central, for \$17,324.83, being principal and interest due on an overdraft on their joint current account which had been opened in June, 1921. Judgment by consent was entered against Fook Cheong and Chan Liu-chia, but Chan Ping-sham contended that he was only employed as manager (in which capacity he was authorised to sign cheques) and was not a partner or in any way liable. The Bank then sued Chan Ping-sham, alternatively, for \$10,000 under a letter of guarantee which he had signed when the account was opened in October, 1921. Defendant denied that he was indebted, and pleaded that the plaintiffs already had a judgment against the firm, and, further, that he had not attained his majority until July, 1922, and that he was a junior when he signed the guarantee.

Mr. C. G. Alabaster K. C., (instructed by Messrs. Wilkinson and Gris) appeared for the plaintiff Bank and Mr. F. C. Jenkin (instructed by Messrs. Deacons) appeared for defendant. The case is proceeding.

The French gunboat Altair came into port yesterday. She is going up to Canton.

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LOCAL ASSESSMENTS.

NINETY-ONE PER CENT. INCREASE IN TEN YEARS.

The rateable value of this Colony has increased by 91.06 per cent. in the ten years from 1916-17 to 1925-26; that is, by \$13,005,676.
This is shown in the report on the assessment for the year 1925-26, which was laid on the table at to-day's Legislative Council meeting. It is stated therein that, by order of His Excellency the Governor in Council a new valuation of the whole Colony has been made and the rateable value has thereby been increased from \$22,147,951 to \$27,287,869, an addition of \$5,139,911 or 23.20 per cent over the previous year.

A comparison of the present and last year's valuations shows an increase of \$2,884,639, or 17.42 per cent., in the City of Victoria, an increase of \$465,255 (30.81 per cent.) in the Hongkong villages, and an increase of \$1,790,017 (45.80 per cent.) in the New Territories. All other areas also show increases, but the comparative figures for the current year are not given.

It is mentioned in the report that the number of tenements reported to be vacant in 1925-26 averaged about 185 monthly, as compared with 104 the previous year.

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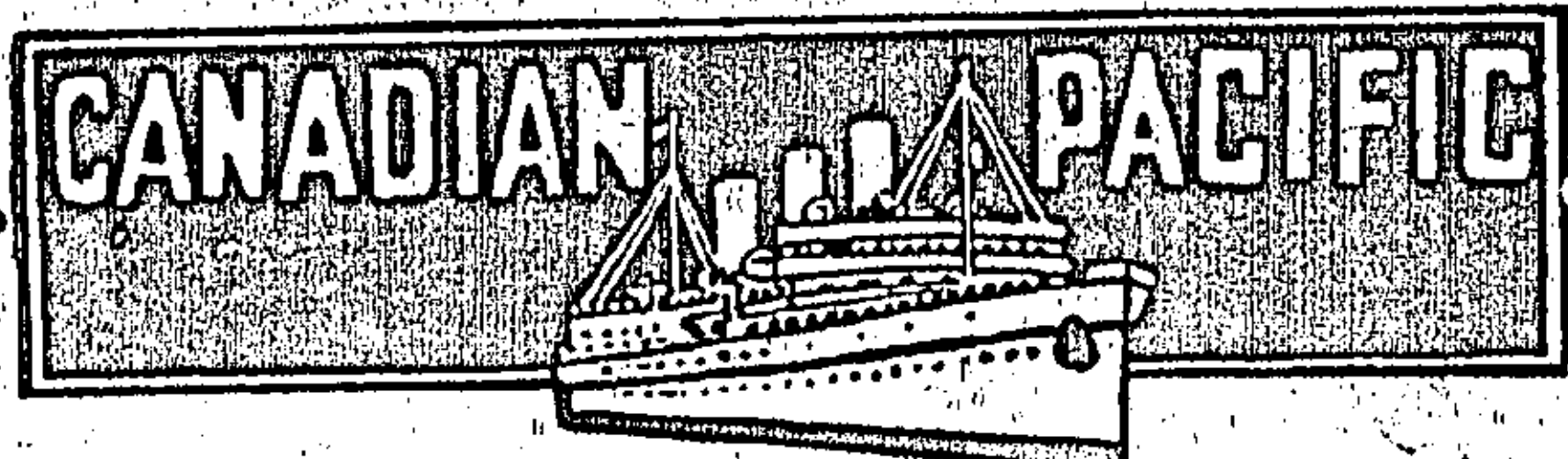
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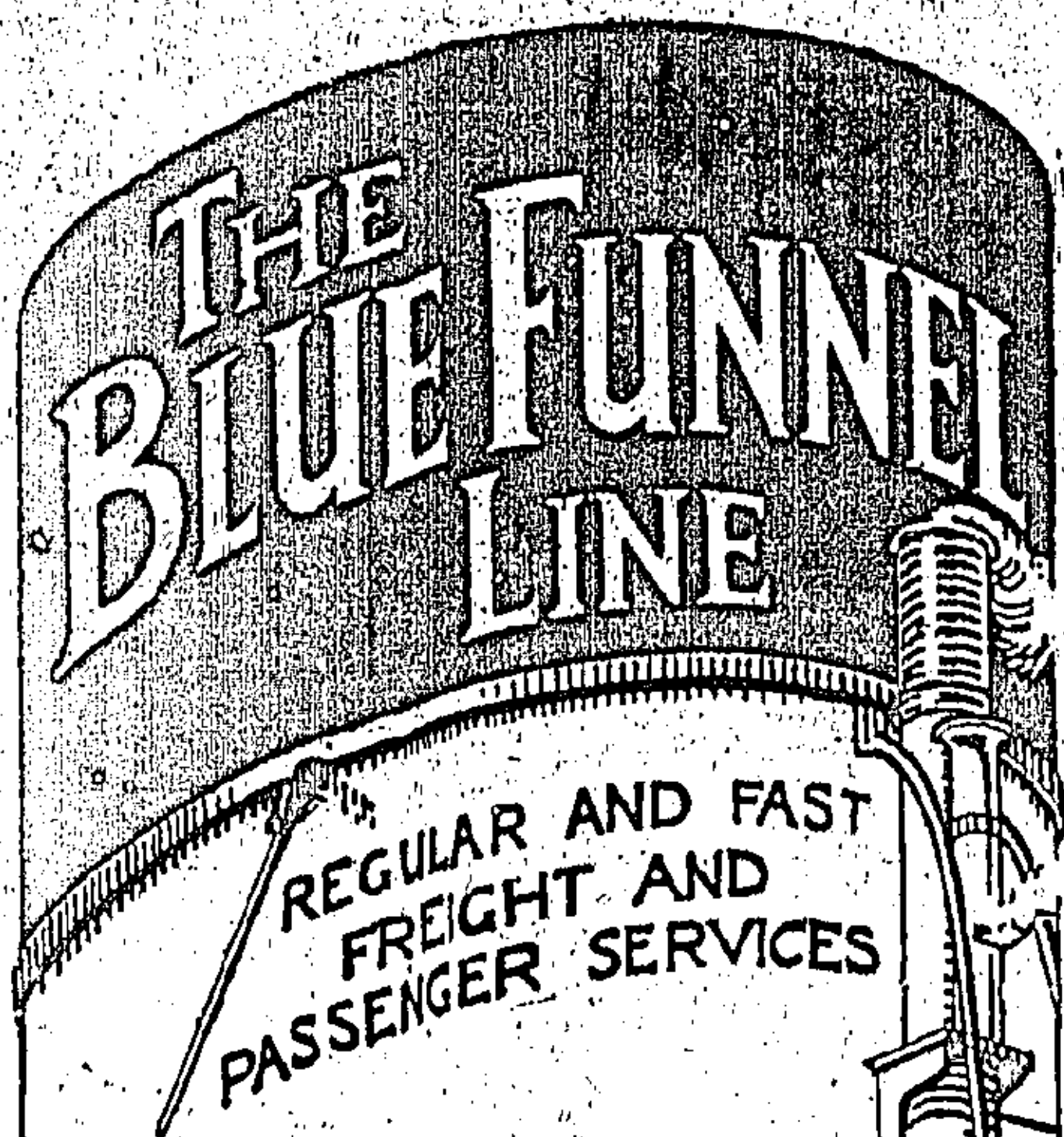
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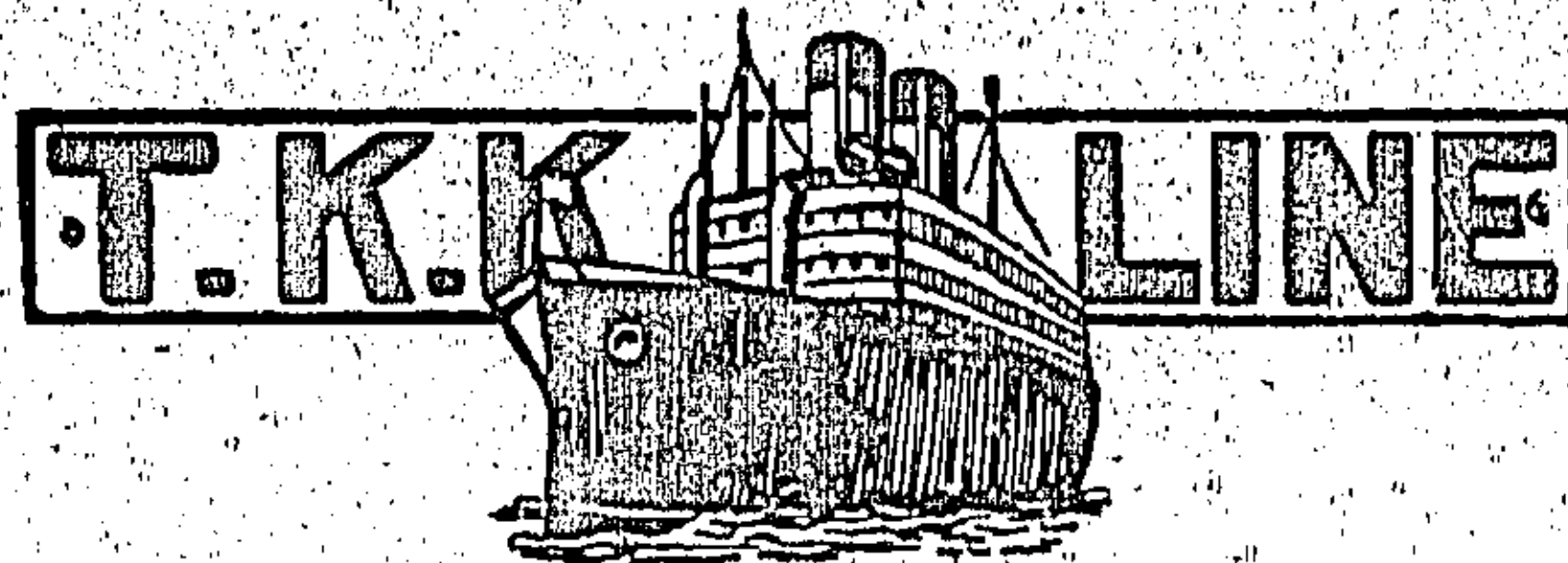
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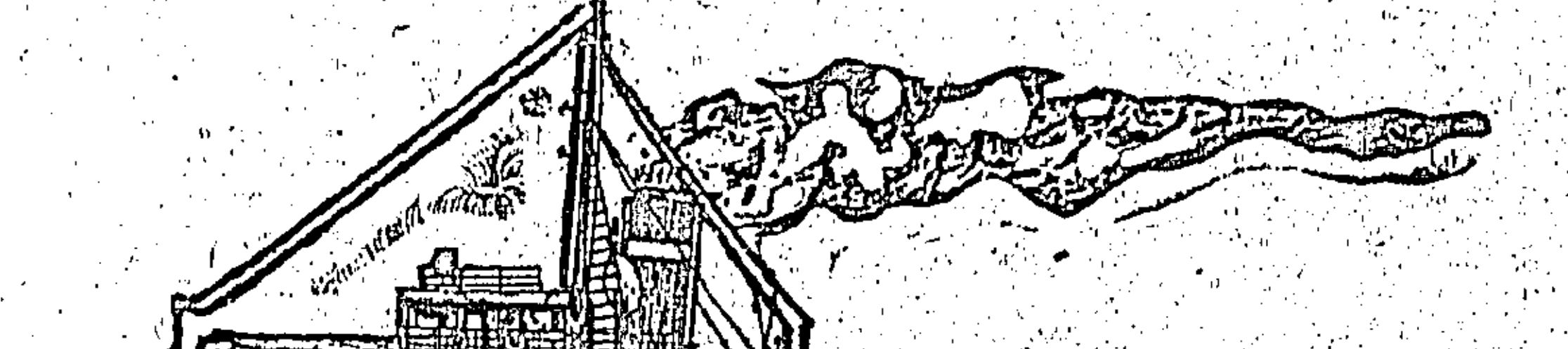
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LADY ASTOR REBURED.

Attack On Labour M. P.

Lady Astor was the central figure in a passage of arms recently in the House of Commons with Mr. Arthur Hayday, Labour member for Nottingham West and the proud father of 18 children.

Lady Astor's zeal for a Children's Adoption Bill outran discretion, and brought on her a rebuke from the Speaker.

Shortly after noon she caught the Speaker's eye, and, in her ardent way, told opponents what she thought of them, and urged members to support the Bill, no matter what the Treasury Bench said. She was irritated by the appointment of another Committee on the question by the Labour Government last year.

When she referred to the favourable report of an earlier Committee, Mr. Hayday asked how it was composed. She read the names of the members, and was then reminded that no working class mother was among them.

"I hate that assumption," Lady Astor retorted, "the assumption that a working-class mother is different from any other mother."

Then Mr. Hayday said something about society women nursing puppies when they might be attending to human beings.

This made Lady Astor very angry. "If I told all I know about the hon. member," she said, "I should give the House something to think of to-day. If I went into the company he keeps it would not reflect credit on the hon. member or his party."

The House was shocked by this, and there were loud cries of "Withdraw!"

"BEYOND ALL BOUNDS."

"That's going beyond all bounds," Mr. Hayday protested, and the Speaker said, "I think so, too."

"I must ask the noble lady," Mr. Whitley added, "not to enter into these personalities; it does not assist debate."

Commander Kenworthy suggested explanation or complete withdrawal; and Lady Astor, realising now that she had gone too far, said she was quite willing to withdraw.

She pleaded that it was very difficult to restrain herself when she heard the insulting remark about puppy dogs.

Once more the Speaker gave her a little lesson in procedure— if she would address herself to him and not to individual members she would not get herself entangled in this way.

"I wish I could!" Lady Astor plaintively replied; and she pleaded in mitigation that no member spoke under more constant provocation than she did. But when the Speaker told her she was sometimes provocative herself she at once agreed.

Mr. Dunnico, a Labour member, was prevented by indisposition from speaking against the Bill, and Commander Kenworthy had already explained this. Lady Astor now suggested that he had left the House converted. Told of the reason for his absence, she said:—

"I am sorry he is ill, but if he had to be ill I am glad it is to-day."

The Bill which caused all this pothole legalises the adoption of children either orphans or the offspring of living parents, and provides that on application to the High Court or the County Court all the authority and obligations of the parent shall be vested in the adopted persons.

The second reading was moved by Sir Geoffrey Butler and seconded by Sir H. Slessor, the ex-Solicitor-General.

Commander Kenworthy did not move the rejecting amendment of which he had given notice, and his cogent criticism should have saved him from Lady Astor's taunt that he was "deplorably ignorant" of the subject.

He was all for legalising the adoption of orphans, but objected to the unguarded proposal in the Bill for the transfer of children from the custody and care of living parents.

Mr. Locker-Lampson, for the Government, promised legislation after the Committee now sitting has reported, and the debate was adjourned, but the Bill is not likely to come before the House again.

YOKOHAMA CANAL.

To be Started Next Year.

The *Jiji* states that construction work on the much-talked-of Tokyo-Yokohama Canal will definitely be started from next fiscal year, to be spread over five years. The necessary investigation by the Home Department have made good progress of late, and it is expected that the Engineering Bureau of the Department will be able to produce a concrete plan by the middle of next month. The only difference between the original and the new plan, according to the *Jiji*, is a marked increase in the area to be reclaimed in connection with the Canal work.

Under the original plan, only 200,000 *tsubo* was to be reclaimed, but under the new plan the area to be reclaimed will cover 1,000,000 *tsubo* at least. This change is due to the Government's desire to raise the major part of the Canal construction expenditure by the sale of the reclaimed land.

The total cost of the work, which was originally fixed at Yen 17,000,000, has been raised by Yen 3,000,000 to Yen 20,000,000 in consequence. Fears are entertained in some quarters that the work may again be postponed for financial reasons, but the Home Department has no doubt that it will be started from next fiscal year. It rests assured that the authorities of the Department of Finance will live up to its promise to the Home Office authorities at the time of the compilation of the Budget for the present fiscal year, that the work should be launched in the next fiscal year.

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But Joins Phonograph Museum.

George Bernard Shaw, though sceptical about the phonograph, has agreed to make a record of his voice to be deposited at the British Museum. Ever since Mr. Shaw broadcast a reading of one of his plays, and revealed himself as having a fine, smooth, musical radio voice, pressure has been brought on him to perpetuate it for posterity. At last he yielded. "I doubt whether the phonograph can give a really satisfactory record of individual voice," he declared, "but I shall have a try."

The British Museum phonograph library is growing. It contains messages sent on Empire Day by the King and Queen from Buckingham Palace two years ago to the boys and girls of the Empire, and a speech on "Sportsmanship" by the Prince of Wales. It has Asquith, Lloyd George and Churchill in speeches on the budget made sixteen years ago. Lord Long on "Home Rule" and Lord Lee on "The Navy" are represented. The Labour Party is recorded in the vibrations of three ministers, Clynes, Roberts and Wedgwood. Sir Ernest Shackleton speaks on his dash to the Pole. Cardinal Bourne has embalmed his words on "Education."

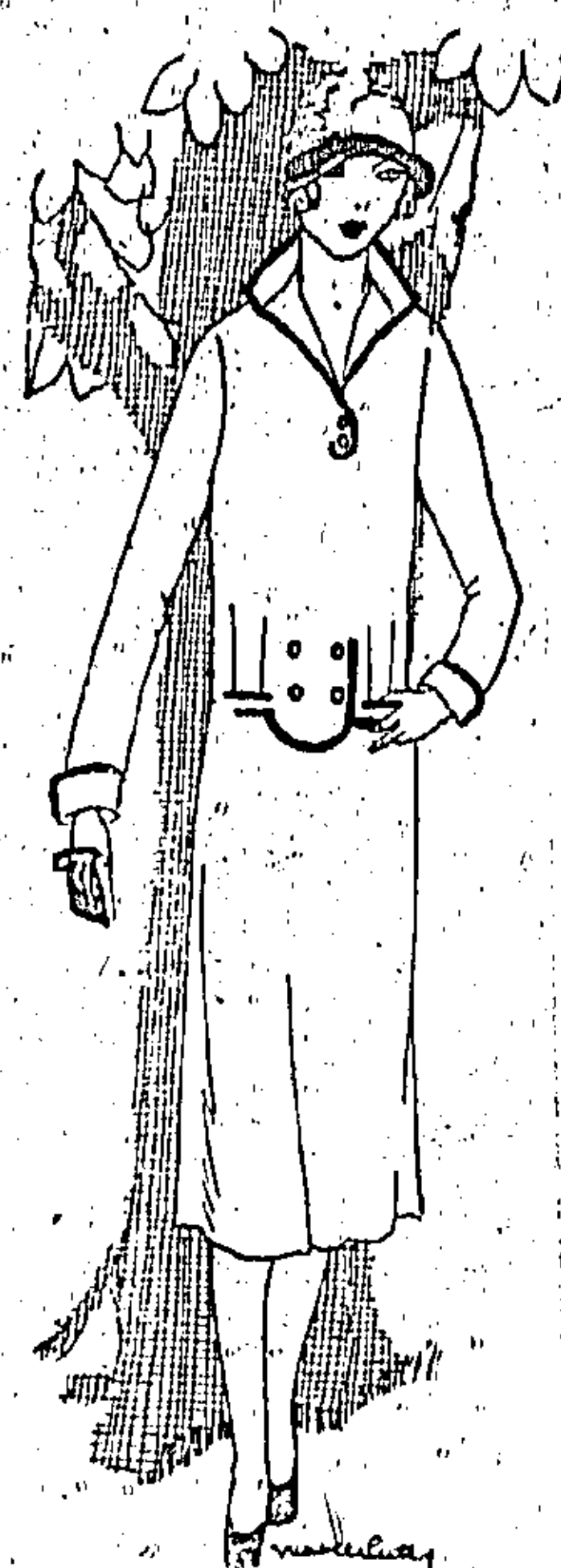
Among the actors are Sarah Bernhardt with a recitation from "Phedre," Ellen Terry in the "Quality of Mercy" speech from the "Merchant of Venice," and Sir Herbert Tree has five readings from Shakespeare.

DAILY HUMOUR.



Aeroplane versus battleship.
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TO-DAY'S FASHION.



The little vest effect has more responsibility upon it than mere ornamentation, for it unbuttons to make possible the slimly fitted waist on this slip-over frock. The back is quite straight and one must not forget the smart-rolled collar.

STONE AGE FINDS.

Flint "Workshop" in Kent.

What is claimed to be the largest individual collection of Stone Age worked flints found in England has been discovered near Strood by Mr. W. H. Cook, of Snodland, Kent.

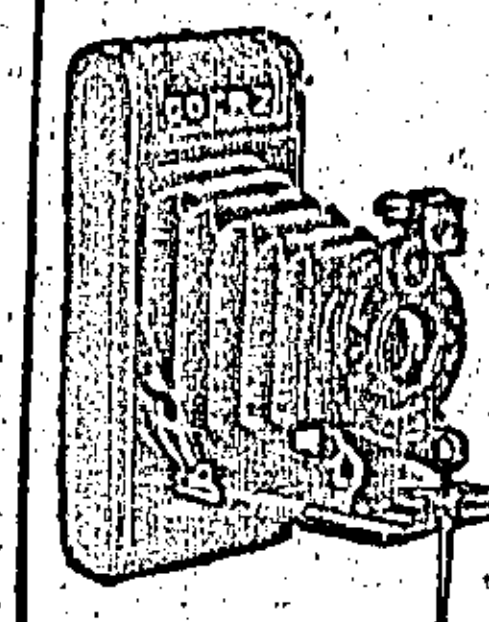
It appears to be the remains of a prehistoric "workshop," and is on a chalk cliff close to Frindsbury Church, within sight of Rochester Cathedral.

Mr. Cook found a clue to it when walking with another local geologist. A private fund was raised, and the excavation was watched by well-known scientists. "After eight days' digging," Mr. Cook said to an interviewer, "we had unearthed some 4,000 flint weapons and tools."

All the flints were found in heaps about 3ft. high, and there were 17 separate heaps exactly as they had been piled up when the workmen knocked off work—possibly 50,000 years ago.

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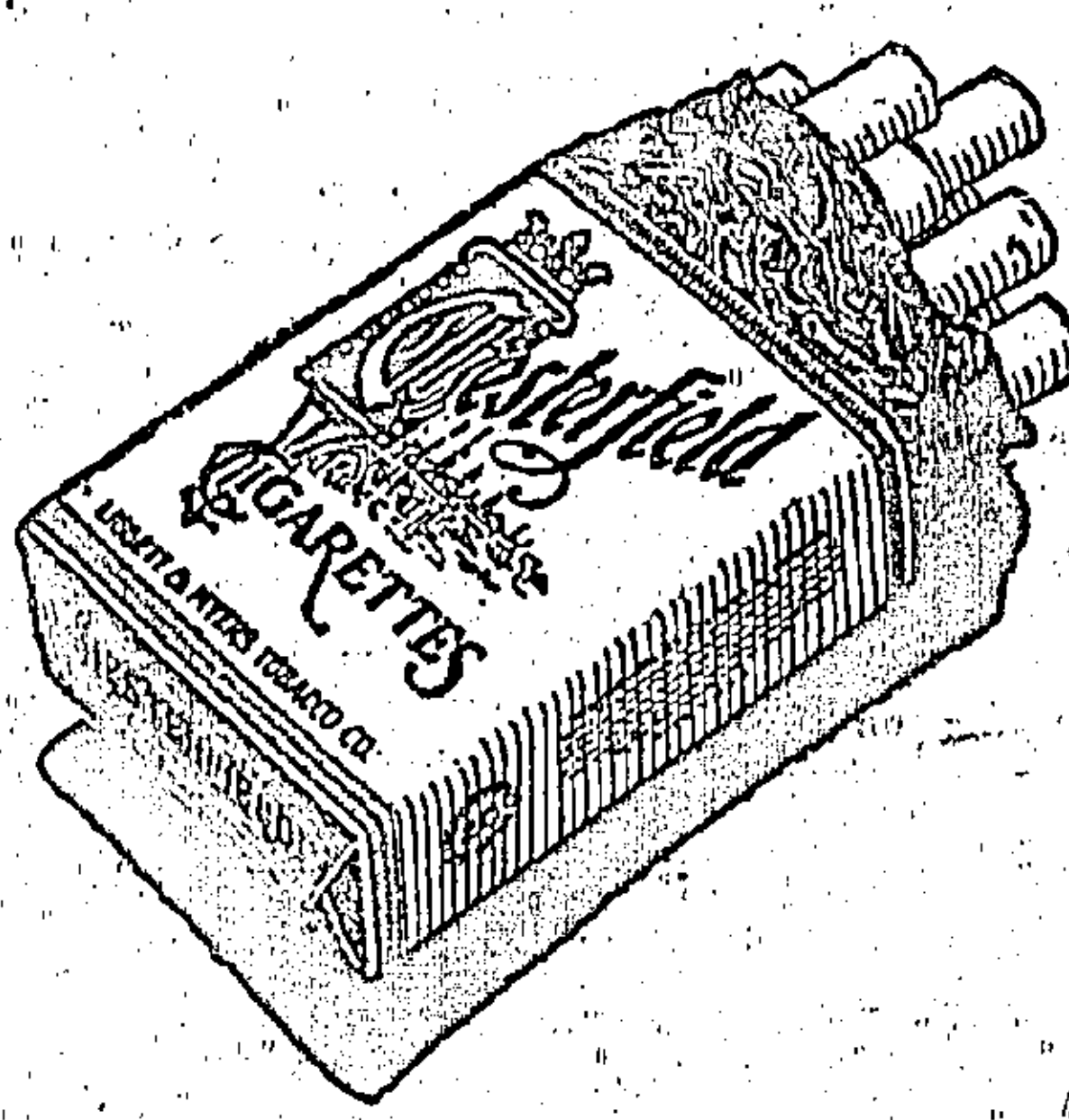


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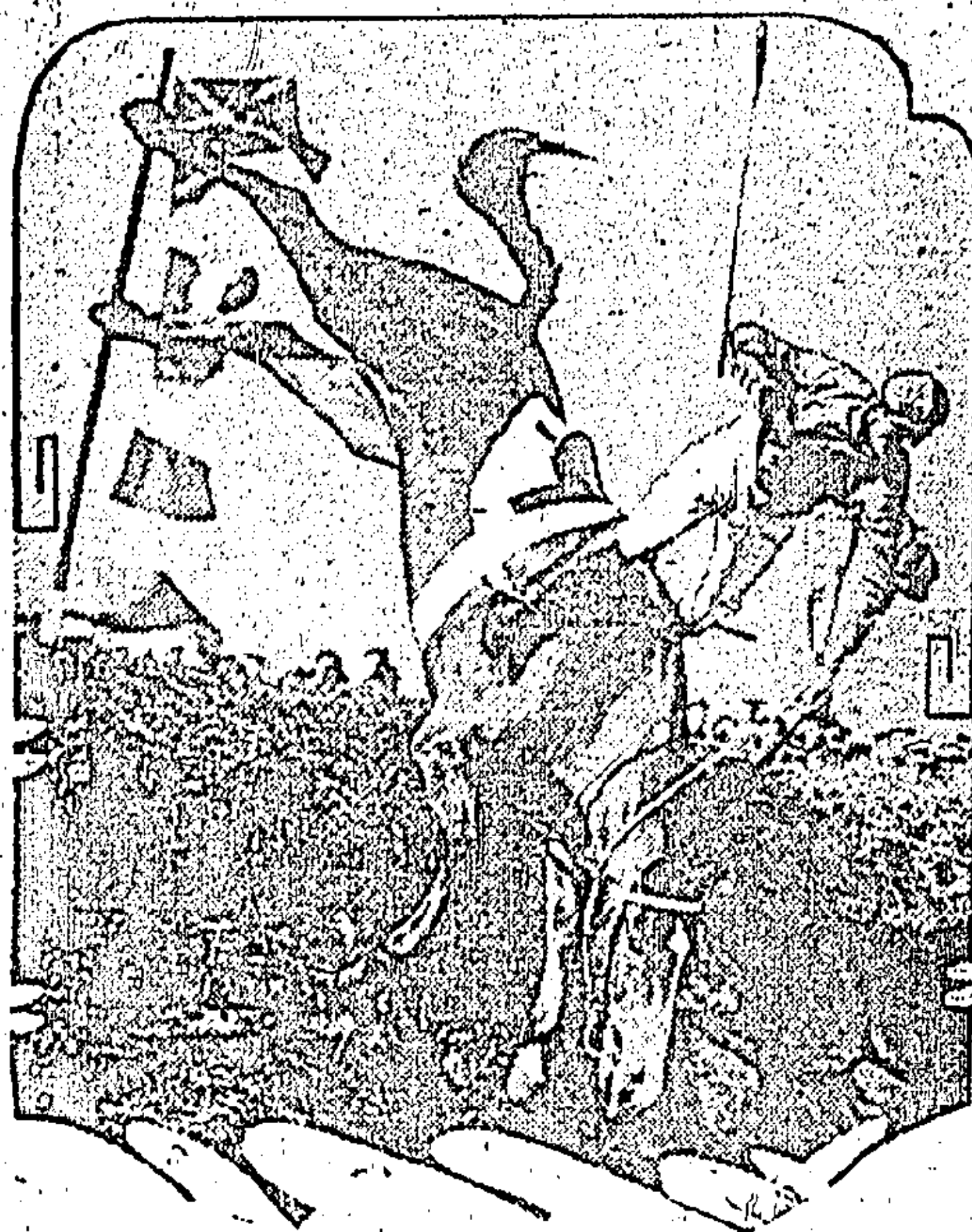
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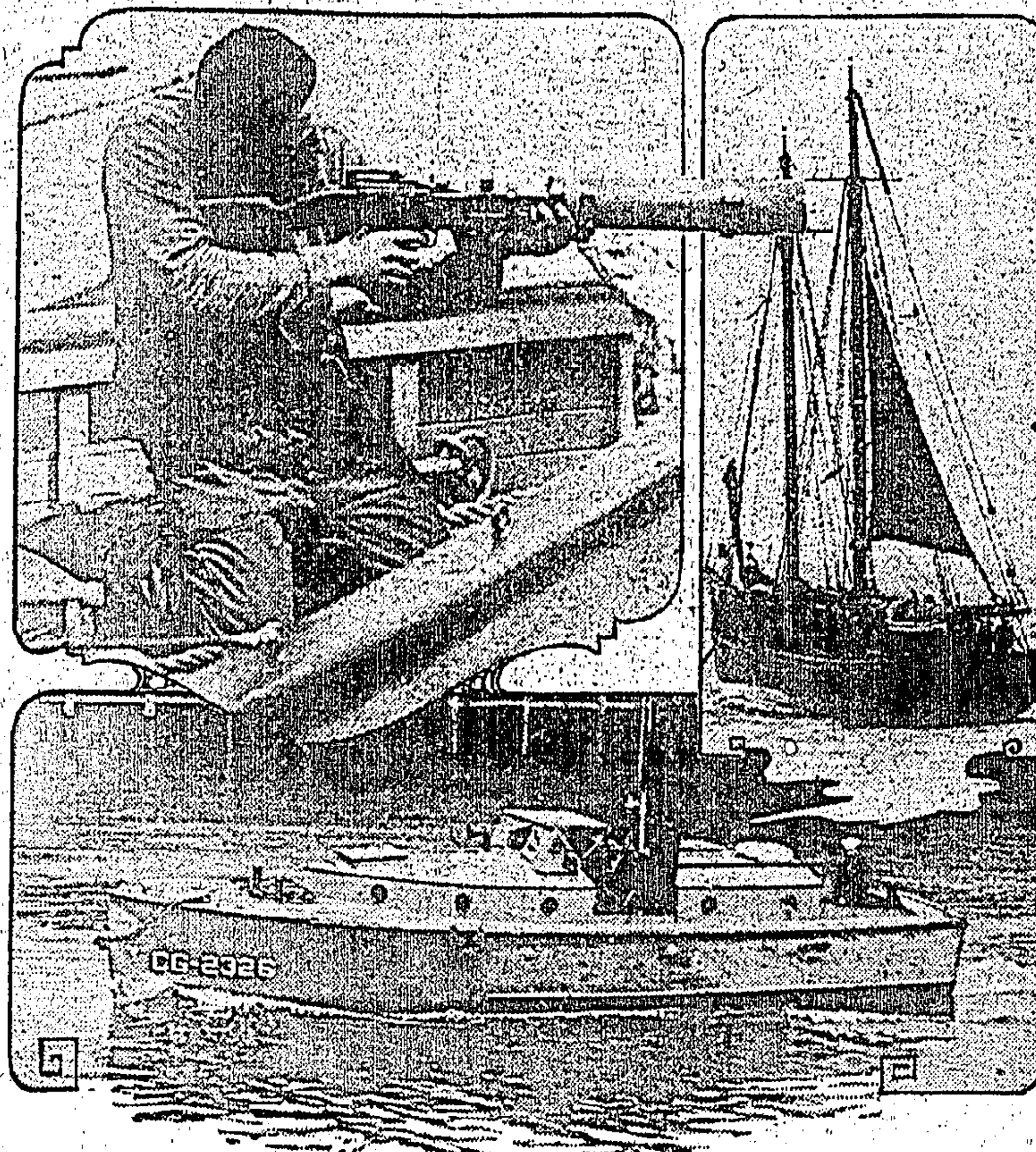
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A Real Header.



An interesting snapshot of a "header" in the Flapping Races at St. Buryan, Cornwall, England. The horse failed to clear a stone hurdle and landed on his nose while his rider was catapulted free. Neither was injured.

With Dry Navy off Rum Row.



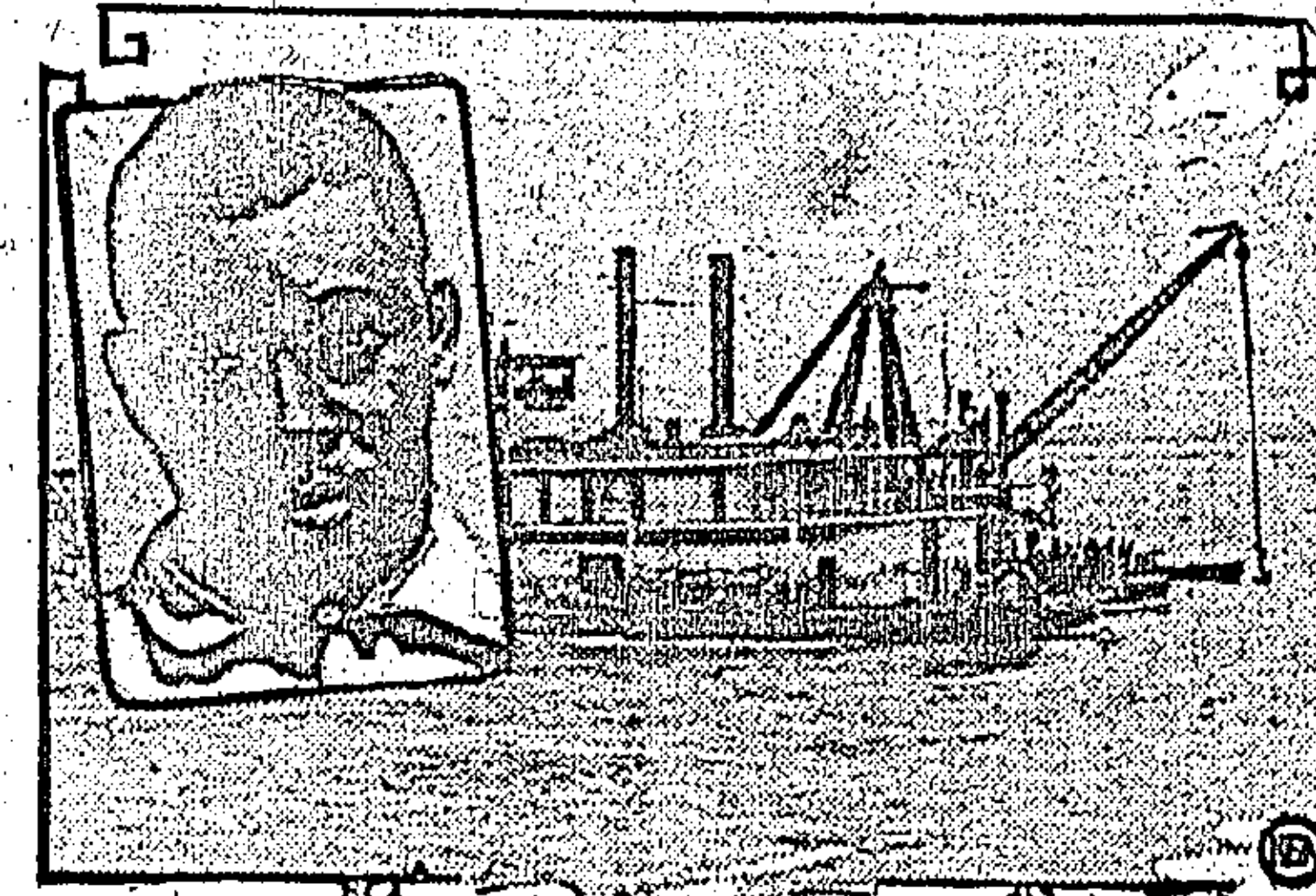
The Coast Guard is just now engaging in the greatest offensive since prohibition against the rum fleet standing off New York and vicinity. More than 50 vessels of every type have been congregated in and around the rum fleet. Photo, upper left, shows one of the coast guardsmen manning his machine gun ready to halt the flight of any rum runner. At the right is one of the members of the rum fleet as it waits for customers; while below is shown one of Uncle Sam's fast speed boats that are relied upon to cope with the highpowered craft of the rum smugglers.

Teasing the Fish.



Miss Edna Rush (left) and Miss Olga Joy of Washington, D. C., give the fish in the Potomac a treat with the idea of an appropriate fishing costume for ladies.

Disaster Hero and Rescue Ship.



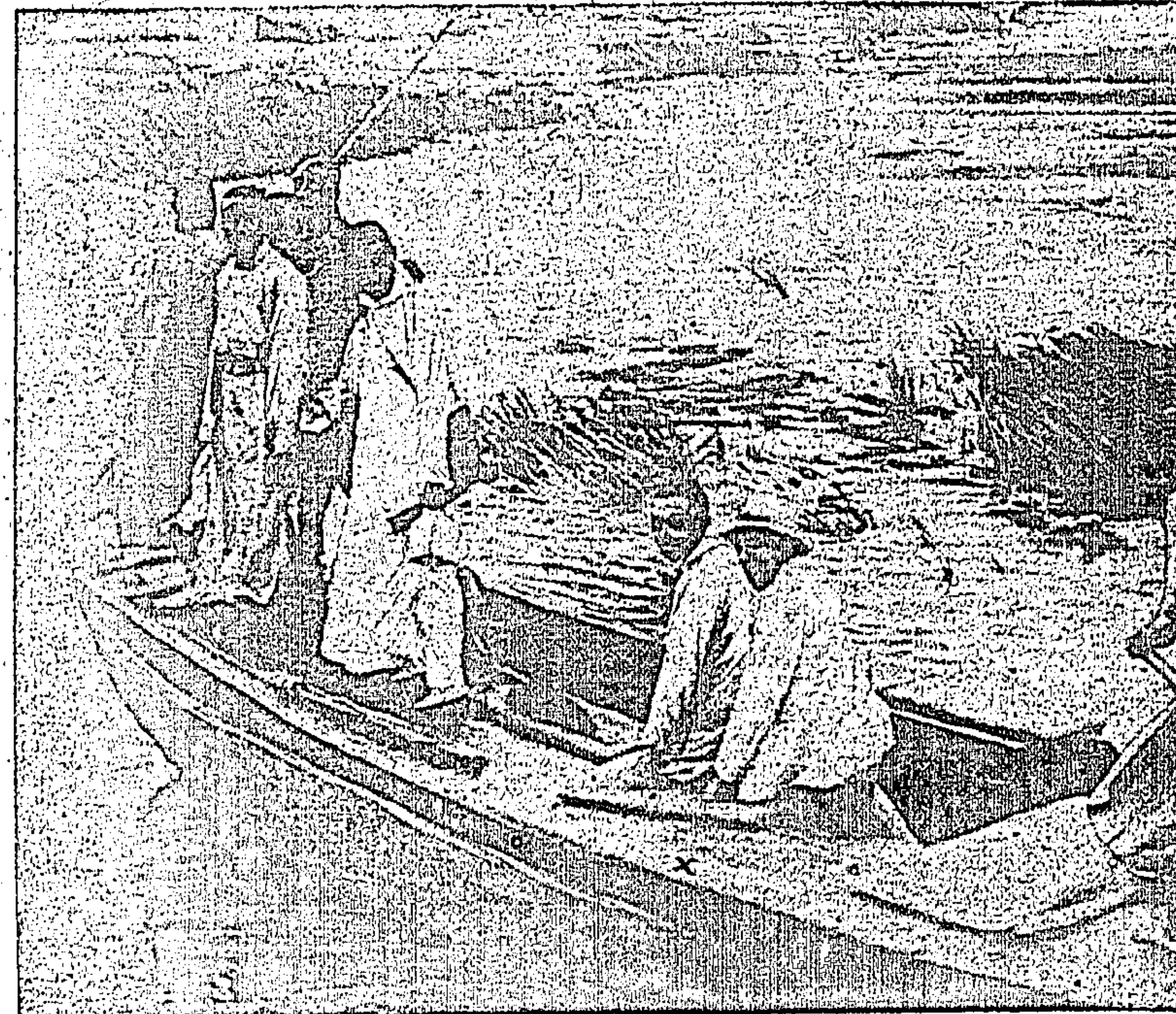
When the government boat M. E. Norman turned over in the Mississippi river, near Memphis, Tenn., causing the death of more than a score of people, Tom Lee, negro (inset) proved himself a hero. Through his efforts at least 20 persons were carried to safety in his launch. Above is shown the Chocotaw, which arrived on the scene shortly after the accident, dragging the river.

The Game of Lacrosse.



If you crave excitement and plenty of action just get into a game of lacrosse. You'll find both there, for it's one of the most strenuous sports on the old calendar. In the above picture are several Yale University players during a hectic bit of pastime at New Haven, Conn.—the Blue stronghold. They're all up in the air at the same time, nets extended in an effort to get a high one.

China's Ex-Emperor Goes Boating.

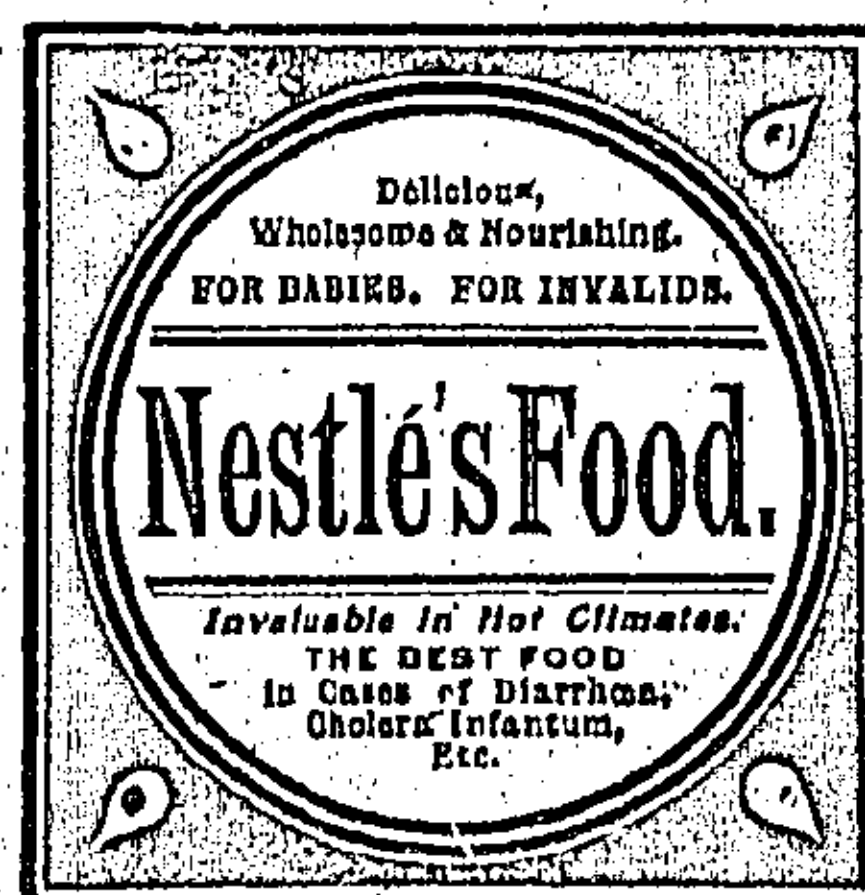


Mr. Henry Pu Yi, former Emperor of China and wielder of the Jade Scepter, is now an ordinary citizen enjoying the amenities of the outer world which were denied him when he was virtually a prisoner in the Forbidden City. He recently had his first ride in a train when he fled from the capital to Tientsin, and he is likely to have another trip shortly when, it is reported, he is going to Shanghai. This picture shows him boating with his English tutor, Mr. R. F. Johnston. This picture was taken in the Yihoyuan, the Imperial Garden. The former Emperor is seated bareheaded, in the middle of the boat, while Mr. Johnston wears a straw hat.

Shooting the Dam.



All members of the Wenonah Canoe Club of Bayonne, N. J., to qualify as expert canoeists must shoot the dam in the Ramapo River near Suffern, N. Y. Above is a member performing in perfect style, but William Brown, in the lower picture, is shown coming a "cropper."



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MAINTUA	1,090	25th July	Marseilles & London
SOUDAN	6,696	6th Aug.	S'pore, P'ang, Obo & B'bay
KASHGAR	9,005	8th Aug.	M'los, London & Antwerp
SIOLIA	6,813	20th Aug.	S'pore, P'ang, Obo & B'bay
MACEDONIA	1,089	22nd Aug.	Marseilles & London
NARKUNDA	16,227	5th Sep.	Marseilles & London
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MALWA	10,941	17th Oct.	Marseilles & London
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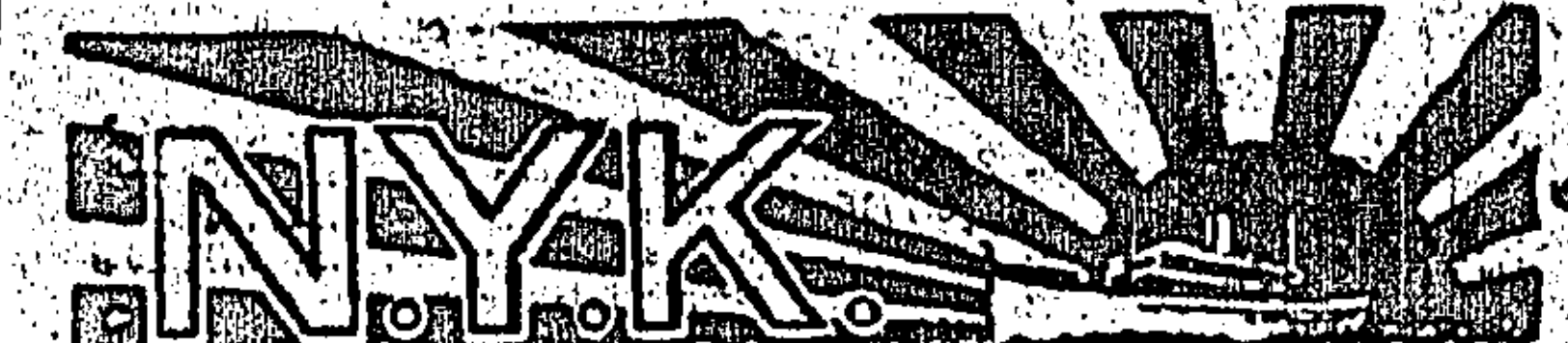
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WEATHER REPORT.

June 15d. 11h. 46m.—Pressure
has decreased considerably over
Japan, S. Manchuria and Shan-
tung, and slightly over south
Formosa and Luzon; it has
increased slightly elsewhere. A
weak anticyclone is situated over
the lower Yangtze Valley, an
elongated depression covers the
Sea of Japan, and another is
indicated to the south of the
Formosa Channel. The latter
shows no sign of intensity at
present, but may develop later.
Hongkong rainfall for the 24
hours ending at 10 a.m. to day,
0.77 inch. Total since January

1st. 27.51 inches, against an
average of 30.95 inches.
FORECAST FOR THE 24 HOURS
ENDING AT NOON TO-MORROW.

District.	Forecast.
Formosa Channel	N.E. winds, moderate to fresh.
South coast of China between H.K. & Lamocks	N.W. or variable winds.
H'kong to Gap Rock	moderate; cloudy.
South coast of China between H.K. & Hainan	rain.

O. W. JEFFRIES, Director.
Hongkong, June 15.

U.S. AND MEXICO.

NO "INTERFERENCE" WANTED.

Washington, June 14.
A slight stir in the American-Mexican dovecot has been created by the recent statement of Mr. Kellogg that Washington will support Mexico only so long as the latter protects American lives and rights and complies with its international obligations.
President Calles, through the Embassy, replied to-day characterizing this passage in Mr. Kellogg's speech as an insult, adding that Mexico will not tolerate a foreign country intervening in her domestic affairs. She is not disposed to subordinate international relations to the exigencies of another country.—Reuter.

SOFIA CONSPIRACY. CULPRITS SENTENCED.

Sofia, June 14.
In addition to the death sentences on Miltenoff and eight others, the court martial has sentenced the conspirators Pontcheff and Loutcheff to 8 and 4 years imprisonment, respectively, for concealing ammunition in their houses. Groudoff and another accused have been fined two thousand leva on a charge of wrongfully appropriating articles belonging to the State.—Reuter.

MOROCCAN WAR.

FRENCH TO REINFORCE.

Rabat, June 14.
M. Painleve has left for home aboard an aeroplane. Prior to his departure a statement was issued emphasising the soundness of the French military position, and announcing the intention to send out tanks and reinforce the air force; admitting that the enemy, pugnacious mountaineers, are ready for any sort of coup, but possess few guns and few machine-guns.—Reuter.

DAVIS CUP.

LATEST RESULTS.

Vienna, June 14.
In the Davis Cup, second round, India beat Austria by 3 matches to nil.—Reuter.
Noordwyk, June 14.
By defeating Sweden by 5 matches to nil, Holland meets India in the semi-finals of the European zone Davis Cup lawn tennis contest.—Reuter.

FAREWELL TO LORD ALLENBY.

MEASURE OF ESTEEM.

Cairo, June 14.
Following a fortnight's unparalleled affectionate farewell functions, Lord and Lady Allenby had an impressive send-off, with rousing cheers from a large and distinguished cosmopolitan gathering, when they left homeward at the end of Lord Allenby's governorship.—Reuter.

FRENCH DERBY.

DONOGHUE UNPLACED.

Paris, June 14.
The Prix Jockey Club, otherwise the French Derby, resulted as follows:
Belfonde 1.
Pitchoury 2.
The Sirdar 3.
Donogue, riding Coram, was unplaced.—Reuter.

PASSENGERS DEPARTED.

Per American Mail Liner s.s. President Jackson for Seattle.—Mr. C. H. Getts, Mr. M. S. Bailey, Mr. M. A. A. Macintosh, Mr. Clayton Gallop, Mrs. E. Ezra, Miss R. Sopha, Master D. Ezra, Mr. & Mrs. A. W. Anderson, Miss R. H. Anderson, Mr. & Mrs. G. S. Garrett, Mr. C. B. Anthony, Mr. D. Parlin, Miss Ethel Morrison, Mr. D. K. King, Mr. L. P. Kent, Mr. James Lelas, Miss E. R. Ludgate, Mr. Robert Rose, Mr. Burton St. John, Mr. S. Sanchez, Mrs. R. Del Pan Hume, Mr. Chas. Kurz, Miss Jane Overby, Mr. G. R. Page, Mrs. Anna T. Smith, Mr. E. J. Tavandar.

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POST OFFICE NOTICES.

The daily morning mail for Canton will be resumed from to-morrow, Tuesday, the 16th inst.

Wireless Communication with Canton is suspended.

INWARD MAILS.

From	Per	Due.
Canada, U.S.A., Japan, Shanghai & Europe via Siberia (London 22nd May) and London via Canada, (London 15th May).	Empress of Asia	15th June
Strait	Kamo M.	16th
Australia & Manila	Aki M.	17th
Canada, U.S.A., Japan & Shanghai	Pres. McKinley	17th
Manila	Pres. Lincoln	19th
Europe via Negapatam (Letters & Papers London 21st May).	Merioniers	19th
Japan	Hakusan M.	19th
Manila	Empress of Asia	21st
Japan	Tango M.	23rd

OUTWARD MAILS.

For	Per	Date.
Saigon	Selko M.	Mon., 16 inst., 8.30 a.m.
Hohow	Kweiyang	Tues., 16 inst., 9.30 a.m.
Shanghai, Japan, Canada, U.S.A., C. & S. America & Europe via San Francisco	Korea M.	Tues., 16 inst., 9.30 a.m.

(Due San Francisco 10th July.)

Straits, Ceylon, India, Mauritius, E. & S. Africa, Egypt & Europe via Marseilles	Sargodon	Tues., 16 inst., 9.45 a.m.
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(Due Marseilles 16th July.)

Manila	Emp. of Asia	Tues., 16 inst., 2.30 p.m.
Swatow, Amoy & Foochow	Haining	Tues., 16 inst., 3 p.m.
Samsui & Wuchow	Wing On	Tues., 16 inst., 4.30 p.m.
Amoy	Hosang	Tues., 16 inst., 5 p.m.
Bangkok	Chakasang	Wed., 17 inst., 10.30 a.m.
Shanghai & Japan	Kamo M.	Wed., 17 inst., 10.30 a.m.
Straits & India	Joyce	Wed., 17 inst., 10.30 a.m.
Japan	Aki M.	Thurs., 18 inst., 9.30 a.m.
Swatow, Amoy & Formosa	Kota M.	Thurs., 18 inst., 10.30 a.m.
Java via Batavia	Tjimanoch	Thurs., 18 inst., 10.30 a.m.
Straits	Van Overstraten	Thurs., 18 inst., 11.30 a.m.
Manila	Pres. McKinley	Thurs., 18 inst., 3.30 p.m.

Shanghai, Japan, Honolulu, Canada, U.S.A., C. & S. America & Europe via San Francisco	Pres. Lincoln	Fri., 19 inst., 9.30 a.m.
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(Due San Francisco 7th July & Europe via Siberia.)
(Correspondence specially superscribed "via Siberia" only.)

SHIPPING NEWS

The following local shipping and mail intelligence has been corrected to noon to-day:

Vessel	Agents	From	Date.
Yusang	J. M. & Co.	Canton	15th June
Glenara	"	London via Singapore	"
Hosang	"	Calcutta via Singapore	"
Kalgan	B & S	Bangkok via Swatow	"
Yue Ying Wa	Cheong Nuo	Hoihow	"
Benledi	G. Livingstone	Rangoon via Hoihow	"
Bennoch	"	Hai Phong	"
Borneo	B & S	Hongkong	"
Song Bo	M. M.	Hai Phong	"
India Arrow	St. Oil	San Pedro	"
Kata M.	Q. S. K.	Takao via Swatow	"
Burho M.	"	Saigon	"
Mohon	Tionang	K. C. Wan	"
Tai Lee	Yee Tai Hong	Newchwang via Weihaiwei	"

Impending Departures.

Vessel	Agents	Destination	Sailing
Yamagata M.	N. Y. K.	Rangoon	16th June
Sargodon	B & S	Glasgow	16th
Haining	D. L. Co.	Amoy	16th
Chakasang	J. M. & Co.	Swatow	16th
Kamo M.	N. Y. K.	Shanghai	16th
Joyce	P. & O.	Bombay	17th
Hosang	J. M. & Co.	Moji	17th
Aki M.	N. Y. K.	Yokohama	18th
Wakasa M.	N. Y. K.	Penang	18th
Washington M.	N. Y. K.	Kobe	18th
Haihong	D. L. Co.	Amoy	19th
Hinsang	J. M. & Co.	Sandakan	20th
Hakusan M.	N. Y. K.	Antwerp	20th
Tamba M.	N. Y. K.	Yokohama	20th
Fookang	J. M. & Co.	Moji	23rd
Yatsing	J. M. & Co.	Swatow	23rd

Impending Arrivals.

Vessel	Agents	From	Due Hongkong
Kamo M.	N. Y. K.	Singapore	15th June
Gharinda	P. & O.	Singapore	17th
Wakasa M.	N. Y. K.	Manila	17th
Hakusan M.	N. Y. K.	Moji	18th
Tamba M.	N. Y. K.	Shanghai	18th
Em of Canada	O. P. S. Ld.	Singapore	20th
Katori M.	N. Y. K.	Yokohama	20th
Atsuta M.	N. Y. K.	Suez	20th

Consignees Diary.

Vessel	Agents	Goods Stored	Free Storage	Claims to be in by	Examination Date
Venezia	D & Co.	Kowloon	June 15	June 25	June 16
Kamo Maru	N. Y. K.	Kowloon	June 22	June 30	Tues. & Fri.
Bontoch	G. L.	Kowloon	June 22	June 30	June 23
Pros. Jackson	A. O. L.	Kowloon	June 22	June 30	June 10

Steamers' Movements.
Empress of Australia arrived at Shanghai on the 15th June 6.30 a.m. left Shanghai on the 15th June 3.00 p.m. and is due at Kobe on the 17th June 6.00 p.m.

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